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SEWER CONTRACT AWARDED

Work to Begin Immediately on Upper-Line Sewer From Shawsheen to Merrimack River as Approved by State Board of Health

The contract for the construction of the out-fall sewer from the filter beds in Shawsheen Village to the Merrimack river, upper-line route as authorized by the State Legislature and State Board of Health, was awarded by the board of public works Saturday afternoon to Philip Cendella of Milford. The contract price was $68,335, and was the lowest bid.

The other bidders and figures were: Louis Cyr, $79,788.50; George M. Bryne, $87,247; John Williams, $87,617; Vicenzo Grande, $107,906; John E. Palmer, $113,402; Frank Drinkwater, $134,752.50 The estimated total cost of the sewer including pipe and other auxiliary equipment, casements, remodelling pumping station and connections, engineering and contingencies amounts to $181,979.83. The American Woolen Co., through William M. Wood, president, has contributed $50,000.

The board of public works has purchased all of the pipe and Supt. Frank L. Cole already has the greater part of it on hand. Work will begin Monday, June 8, and the sewer will be completed this fall.

At a hearing held at the State House last Friday the state department of health approved the plans of Andover for an outfall upper-line sewer running from the town, through the city of Lawrence to an outlet in the Merrimack river at a point opposite the junction of the Wood Mills and Pacific Print Works properties.

The approval was given over the opposition of the Lawrence city council, which asked the State Department of Health to approve only plans for a lower line sewer which would empty into the Merrimack river at a point opposite the mouth of the Shawsheen river. Lawrence wanted Andover to pay the complete cost of this sewer, which would be 1,300 feet longer than the upper-line sewer and would cost approximately $35,000 more.

Dr. Eugene R. Kelley, commissioner of the State Department of Health, presided at the hearing. The decision was announced after a short executive session. In explanation, he said that the commission could not see why Andover should be compelled to pay $35,000 extra for a lower-line sewer from which Lawrence would solely benefit. The commission suggested that Lawrence and Andover might get together and reach some sort of a mutually satisfactory agreement in the matter of the lower-line sewer.

The new sewer will be in Lawrence over two-thirds of its length. Andover will pay the entire cost of the upper-line sewer and Lawrence will be permitted to enter it. This sewer will drain only about 100 acres, while a lower-line sewer would drain 300 acres.

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COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

Academies on Hill Plan Week of Graduation Activities—Case Memorial Building to be Dedicated Friday

The commencement exercises of both Abbot and Phillips academies will occur during the coming week. Beginning with the school rally at Abbot academy tomorrow evening, and the baccalaureate sermons on Sunday, each of the next seven days will hold occasions of interest connected with the closing of these schools.

The event which will especially mark this commencement season will be the dedication of the Case memorial building, at noon on Friday, June 15. The exercises will include the presentation of the building by a member of the Case family and its formal acceptance by Dr. Alfred E. Stearns. The exercises will take place inside the building, the seating capacity of which will necessarily be limited.

The public is cordially invited to hear the baccalaureate sermon on Sunday, to be present at the Potter prize speaking Wednesday evening, the musical and dramatic entertainment Thursday evening, and the commencement exercises Friday morning.

Phillips Academy

The baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of Phillips academy will be delivered in the Stone Chapel Sunday afternoon at half past four, by the Rev. Willard L. Sperry, D. D., of Cambridge.

Preceding the baccalaureate service, Mr. Pfatteicher will play an organ recital beginning at 3.45, the programme consisting of Reger's "A mighty fortress is our God" and Liszt's Fantasia and Fugue on the Choral: "Ad nos, ad salutarem Undam," designated by Saint Saens as "the most remarkable organ composition ever written." The choir will sing, at the service, the" Netherlands Hymn of Thanksgiving," Gounod's "Gloria in Excelsis" from the Missa des Orpheonistes, and the "Domine salvam fac" from the same mass.

At the service in the chapel next Sunday morning, the choir will sing a number of selections of classical church music by Palestrina, Bach and Mendelssohn. Wednesday evening at eight o'clock the Potter prize speaking will be held in the Stone chapel.

The class day exercises will begin at three o'clock, a half hour later than usual, on Thursday, and will be followed by the

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Misses Edith and Nan Sellars of Brook street spent the week-end in Mansfield.

Mrs. Grace Whittemore has returned to her home on Bartlet street after spending the winter in California.

Mrs. Bernard M. Allen of Cheshire, Conn., spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Colver J. Stone of Locke street.

Miss Elizabeth Allen of New York has been a recent guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Bartlett, Central street.

The number of books issued for home use at the Memorial Hall Library during May was 2765. At Ballardvale, 418 were borrowed.

Rev. and Mrs. E. Victor Bigelow spent several days this week at Chocorua, N. H., as the guests of Miss Sarah E. Oliver of North Andover.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew W. Laurie of Phillips street, sail today from Montreal on the "Montrose" to spend the summer in England.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hadley and daughter, Grace, of Wolcott avenue are attending the Shriners' convention being held in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vaillant of Boston will occupy "Viewfield" the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Laurie on School street for the summer.

Frederic S. Boutwell, treasurer of the Andover Savings bank, is attending the Savings Bank Convention held in Buffalo, N. Y., this week.

George McKenzie and Edward Biledeau, of Moosup, Conn., spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William McKenzie of Whittier street.

The Past Noble Grands Association of Merrimack Valley will meet with Mrs. Grace Bowie at the Mitchell cottage, Salisbury Beach, Thursday June 10.

Mr. and Mrs. David Atwater of Westhampton, Long Island, were recent guests at the home of Mrs. Atwater's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Bartlett of Central street.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Torrey of Elm street are away on a two weeks' pleasure trip. During their absence they will attend the Shriners' convention in Washington.

The Andover fire department was summoned to Greenwood road at 1:27 o'clock Saturday afternoon where a brush fire was in progress. Box 4 summoned the department.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wormald have gone to Sanford, Me., where Mr. Wormald will have charge of construction work for the Turner Construction Co., for the next six months.

William B. Higgins, who has been in London for the past six weeks on a business trip, returned on the S. S. Laconia and arrived at his home on Chestnut street, Monday night.

Organist Edwin G. Booth of the Free church will hold his annual pianoforte recitals in the First Baptist church vestry in Lawrence on June 11 and June 18 at 7:45 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

Mrs. Carl Elander, noble grand; Mrs. Franklin S. Valentine, past grand, and Mrs. Donald D. Laurie, vice grand of Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge, attended the Odd Fellows Memorial service in Lawrence Sunday afternoon.

Court St. Monica, Catholic Daughters of America, will hold a whist party in the parlors of the new K. of C. home in the Swift homestead on Main street, this evening. This will be the first social event in the new home and the public is cordially invited. Prizes will be awarded the winners. Mrs. Frank S. McDonald is chairman of the committee of arrangements.

The last meeting of the season of the I. B. G. girls of the South church was held last week in the vestry and the following officers were chosen for the coming year: president, Helen Yunggebauer; vice president, Nettie Pritchard; secretary, Susan Ripley; treasurer, Grace Chapman; chaplain, Charlotte White; Guardian, Frances Hall. A social hour followed the business meeting and the girls enjoyed games.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Coming Events

SATURDAY

2.00 p.m. Standard time. Andover-Exeter game at Exeter.

SUNDAY

10.30 a.m. South Church. Abbot baccalaureate sermon. Rev. Hugh Gordon Ross of Pittsfield.

4.30 p.m. Stone Chapel. Phillips baccalaureate, with sermon by Rev. Willard L. Sperry, D.D., of Cambridge.

MONDAY

8.00 p.m. Davis Hall. Abbot musical.

TUESDAY

10.30 a.m. Abbot Academy. Tree and ivy planting.
11.00 a.m. South Church. Abbot graduation exercises, with address by Rev. Samuel McChord Crothers, D.D., of Cambridge.

WEDNESDAY

8.00 p.m. Stone Chapel. Potter prize speaking.

THURSDAY

3.00 p.m. Borden gymnasium. Class Day exercises.
8.00 p.m. Town Hall. Flag Day exercises.
8.30 p.m. Borden gymnasium. Musical Clubs concert and Dramatic Club performance.

FRIDAY

9.00 a.m. Stone Chapel. Memorial service of Class of 1898.
10.00 a.m. Stone Chapel. Initiation Cum Laude Society with address by Frederick S. Jones, LL.D., Dean of Yale College.
10.30 a.m. Stone Chapel. Commencement exercises, awarding of prizes and diplomas.
12.00 m. Dedication of Case Memorial building.
1.00 p.m. Borden gymnasium. Alumni dinner.
4.00 p.m. Brothers Field. Band concert and baseball game.

Last Tuesday evening Mr. Pfatteicher played an organ recital at Phillips Exeter Academy.

Miss Catherine A. Findley has gone to Linnekin, Maine, where she will stay for several weeks.

Rev. and Mrs. Frederick C. Wilson and daughter are visiting at the home of Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Wilson on Essex street.

The Woman's Guild of Christ church is holding a food sale in Playdon's florist shop on Main street, this afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock.

Everett M. Lundgren of Elm street, is in Washington, D. C., with Aleppo Temple, Boston, attending the Shriners' convention at the National Capital.

The annual Andover-Exeter baseball game will be played tomorrow in Exeter on Plimpton playing field. The game will be called at 2.00 p.m. standard time. The train leaves Andover for Exeter at one o'clock, daylight saving time.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Miss Alice Brady of 19 Elm court will spend the week-end at Long Island.

The annual picnic of the Christ church Sunday school will be held at Canobie Lake on June 23.

The Hawthorne club were entertained Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. G. Richard Abbott.

Mrs. Helen A. Wright of Holt road and son, John, will spend the week-end with friends at Magnolia Beach.

The lawn party and food sale by the Punchard Senior class, planned for this afternoon, has been postponed to Monday, June 11, weather permitting.

Mrs. Robert T. Nicoll and granddaughter, Isabell MacKenzie, left town Wednesday for Toronto, Canada, where they will spend the summer with Mrs. Nicoll's daughter, Mrs. James Spark.

Gertrude Franklin of this town was one of the members of the volley ball team at Wellesley college which entered the spring sports this week at the college. Miss Franklin is in the class of 1926.

Rev. Arthur S. Wheelock, pastor of the Free church, extended the Right Hand of Fellowship to John Russell Coombs at the ordination held at Trinity church, Lawrence, yesterday afternoon and evening.

The Alpha Chapter of the A. P. C. sorority of the Free church will hold an outing at "Braetop" Ipswich Neck, on Saturday, June 16. All members and friends planning to go are asked to notify Miss Bertha Cuthill, High street, at once.

Andover chapter, O. E. S. will attend the annual St. John's day service with St. Matthews lodge, A. F. and A. M. at the South Church, Sunday morning, June 24, at 10:30; members of the chapter will assemble at the Masonic club rooms at 10 o'clock.

During the thunderstorm Wednesday evening, lightning struck a trolley car on the Reading road, near Alexander Crockett's. Box 31 was rung in and the department responded but there was no damage. The storm also put the wires of the Western Union out of commission.

Alfred L. Ripley of the class of 1878, Yale University, will be among those who will attend the 45th anniversary of the class to be held this year at the Yale commencement. In this class is Chief Justice William H. Taft, former president of the United States, besides other prominent men.

Mrs. Henry C. Hitchcock and her daughter, Miss Ethel A. Hitchcock, have moved from Temple Place to Phillips street. James Wallace, a former resident of this town, who has recently returned from Vancouver is occupying the tenement, recently vacated by Miss Hitchcock. Mr. Wallace's family is expected shortly.

NEW TEACHERS APPOINTED

Parents of Children Petition For Opening of Seventh Grade in Shawsheen School—Local Girls Elected to Vacancies on Teaching Force

The school committee met Tuesday evening in the Punchard building and teachers were elected to fill several vacancies.

A delegation of parents from Shawsheen was in attendance and voiced the opinion that a seventh grade room ought to be opened in Shawsheen. All pupils over the sixth grade from that section of the town have to go to the Stowe school for the completion of their grammar grade work.

If a seventh grade is established in Shawsheen before the new schoolhouse is built, it will mean the expense of hiring another room in some building, or purchasing a portable school house. The school committee has taken the matter under advisement.

Arrangements have been made for the graduating exercises of the Grammar school in the Town hall, Thursday afternoon, June 21. W. Dudley Yates of the school committee will give the address and Roy H. Bradford, chairman, will present the diplomas.

Miss Mildred Burdett, a graduate of Boston University and now teaching in Charlestown, N. H., will take the place of Miss Helen Dunn as teacher in modern languages at the Punchard High school, while Miss Dunn enjoys a year's leave of absence to be spent abroad.

Miss Gertrude Berry of this town, a graduate of Punchard in the class of 1916 and of Tufts college in 1920, will teach English and mathematics and take Miss Helene Sand's place in Punchard. Miss Berry has taught in a private school in New York and is now in Georgetown.

Mrs. Elberta Espey will have charge of the special room in the Stowe school. Mrs. Espey has taught one year in Andover and has been principal for several years in North Andover.

Miss Alice Stack will be transferred from the Stowe school special room to one of the grade positions. Miss Isabella Hayes of Haverhill has been elected as teacher of the third grade. Miss Hayes is a graduate of Bridgewater Normal school and has taught the fifth and sixth grades in Groveland. Miss Helen Dick, a graduate of Lowell Normal school and now teaching in Georgetown, has been elected to the Osgood school. Miss Sarah G. Campbell has been transferred to Shawsheen Village.

As assistant to Carl Gahan the manual

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THE CHILDREN'S SUNDAY

Morning Service Conducted by the Children—Rite of Baptism Administered and Bibles Presented

Children's Day was observed in the South church Sunday with special exercises in the morning by the children. The baptismal procession entered at 11.45 and eleven children were presented for baptism as follows: Harold Simonds Painting, Madeleine Amelia Grout, Lauren Roy Dearborn, Marjorie Louise Crosby, Gordon Harry Smith, George Richard Pearce, Bradford Flockton Holt, Elsie Agnes Bonnell, Frederick Cobb Eastman, Elizabeth Cobb Eastman, and Harvey Gay Turner.

Plants were distributed to the children at the close of the service.

The order of service:

Prelude—Organ
Prelude—Carol, Beauteous Are the Flowers of Earth — Choir
Processional—Rejoice, ye pure in heart
The Junior Department marching in
Call to Worship—by the Minister
Prayer of Invocation and Lord's Prayer
Carol by the Choir—We bring sweet flowers

1. THE HEAVENLY FATHER'S LOVE AND CARE
God Is Love—Bible Verses — Beginners
Harvey Turner, Jr., Esther Stocks, Robert Auchterlonie, Evelyn Spinney, Helene Hall Arthur Smith, William Pomeroy, Frances McTernen, Clara Holland, Helen Hardy Priscilla Abbott, Jean Waldie, Doris Anderson
The Finding of Moses — Story told by Helen Ripley
Song—Baby Moses — Juniors, Miss Ryley's Class
Recitation—Room for all the Children — Primary Children
Eleanor Thompson, Ruth Pratt, Carol Bullock, Elizabeth Newell, Barbara Scherner
Recitation—He Cares for Me — Louise Hethrington
Song—God Sees — Primary Children

2. JESUS THE FRIEND OF LITTLE CHILDREN
Bible Story—Children Welcomed — Gilbert Cromie
Story Hymn, No. 662, Church Hymnal — Congregation
Bible Verses—Doers of the Word
Bessie Downs, Pauline Burtt, Etta Larkin Mary Partridge, Harriet Newman

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"In the Days of Buffalo Bill."
Comedy.
Pathe News.

Monday, Tuesday, June 11, 12

"One Exciting Night." — D. W. Griffith's.
Larry Semon in "The Rent Collector."
Topics of the Day.

Wednesday, June 13

Dorothy Phillips in "The World's a Stage."
"Be Reasonable" — a Mack Sennett comedy.
"Fighting Blood" — H. C. Witwer — Sporting Series.
Pathe News.

Thursday, June 14

Mary Miles Minter and Antonio Moreno in "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine."
"Courage."

Friday, June 15

Fox presents "A Fool There Was" — new version.
Mr. and Mrs. Carter DeHaven in "The Girl In a Taxi."
Aesop's Fables — Felix the Cat.

Saturday, June 16

Wesley Barry in "Heroes of the Street."
"In the Days of Buffalo Bill."
Comedy.
Pathe News.

Griffith Creates a New Film Comedian

D. W. Griffith has created another comedy character in his latest screen sensation "One Exciting Night," a United Artists release coming next Monday and Tuesday to the local Theatre, that at once takes rank with his other great comedy characters.

It was "The Little Disturber" in "Hearts of the World," according to students of psychology, who started the flapper craze in America. With her tam o' shanter, knee skirts and independent roguish manner. The Little Disturber became a living character in America life.

This time Mr. Griffith has taken a negro character to mould into a living being that everyone immediately recognizes, likes intensely and laughs with him.

The player to whom this fortunate chance came is Porter Strong, and the new character is "Romeo," a good-natured black man, human and likeable, with all the weaknesses at which humanity loves to laugh, and virtues that make him one that everyone likes also.

For years, Porter Strong has been a comedian with the Griffith company, occasionally playing "blackface" parts. He is a graduate of the old minstrel companies, playing with many of the great names of old. He was born in St. Joseph, Missouri, and as a youngster began entertaining his family with imitations of negro people.

Mr. Griffith also was born in the South, near Louisville, Kentucky; having had a pickaninny for his first playmate. He understands the negro with the profound clearness with which he views all humanity and with the further advantage of a life long association with them in all their picturesque variety.

Before beginning work on "One Exciting Night" Mr. Griffith spent nearly a week with Strong outlining the character he wished to develop. It was to be a negro who loved ease of life and shunned unpleasant labors as everyone is inclined to do. His dress was to be typical, his walk the unaffected slouch at labor and the spruce parade of public appearance.

He was to be a negro that everyone has seen thousands of times, yet so individual the world was but meeting him for the first time.

And the result was "Romeo," the quizzical, natural, likeable character who promptly expresses all the feelings and weaknesses which people try to control and keep to themselves.

When "Romeo" makes love, he does it with an abandon that suggests all the love-making of all time. When he is frightened, he has no hesitancy in showing it. He trembles, he runs, he rolls his eyes, and he hasn't the slightest pride about wanting to flee.

A comedy character is accepted as the most difficult of all roles because if it is tainted with the unnatural, the public instantly senses it.

So of all the characters in "One Exciting Night" the greatest labor was spent upon the good-natured "Romeo," whose refreshing distinctness of character is bringing millions of laughs to the world.

GAYETY THEATRE

"Follies of the Day," the $200,000 musical revue with Tommy "Bozo" Snyder, Miss Gertrude Hayes, Jr., and a superb company of versatile comedians and bewitching girls, has cancelled its London engagement and is at the Gayety Theatre, Boston, for the entire month of June.

This gorgeous production has reached a lofty artistic plane without sacrificing the spirit of rollicking comedy that has made it one of the greatest laugh-producers of the season.

The book and lyrics by Barney Gerard fairly scintillate with nuggets of comedy and amusing situations. The music by Bert Grant is the catchy, tuneful, melodious kind that tickles the ear when first heard and lingers long in the memory. The scenery designed by Joseph Urban is characteristic of the brush of that celebrated master of stage and mural decoration. The dances, arranged by Seymour Felix, are new and original.

Tommy "Bozo" Snyder, featured comedian, is a pantomimist of rare gifts. He utters no word on the stage but his meaning never fails, so expressive are his mobile features and his gestures. His dancing is a revelation and his silent comedy a perpetual joy to audiences. Miss Gertrude Hayes, Jr., a brunette beauty of high charm, is a singer and dancer of extraordinary talent in both these fields of entertainment.

The chorus is all smiles, girlish sweetness and dimples added to full effectiveness in ensemble numbers.

The cast includes favorites of the musical revue world. It includes Sam Green, the big piano mover and foil for Bozo; Harry Seymour, the Eskimo Pie man, with his wonderful rolling R's; John B. Williams, Bob Tolliver, the One-Man Jazz Band with his trick harmonica; Ethel Howard, prima donna; Beth Clark, soubrette; Mme. Poulet's Parisian Poseurs in classic poses, Bert Matthews, "Scotty" Weston, Harry A. Watson and Hunter, Cole and Hunter.

Two performances are given daily, at 2:10 p.m. and 8:10 p.m. during the entire month of June.

Punchard 7, Exeter 0

Punchard High triumphed over Exeter high in a fine game at Exeter on Saturday, the final score being 7 to 0. Joe Wright was very effective for the winners.

The score:

PUNCHARD	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Souter, s.s.	3	2	2	1	2	0
Ruhl, 2b.	4	0	1	2	1	0
Dodge, l.f.	1	1	0	1	0	0
Wright, p.	4	1	2	0	4	0
Fredrickson, c.f.	4	0	1	3	0	0
Partridge, 3b.	5	2	1	4	2	0
Dyer, 1b.	5	1	2	8	0	0
Stevenson, c.	4	0	1	8	3	0
Coutts, r.f.	3	0	2	0	0	0
Barnes, r.f.	0	0	0	0	1	0
Adams, r.f.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stevenson, r.f.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	7	12	27	13	0
EXETER						
Bond, c.	4	0	2	9	0	0
Connor, p.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Cooper, 2b.	4	0	2	0	1	2
R. White, 3b.	4	0	0	1	5	0
Kirtland, l.f.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Merrill, r.f.	3	0	0	1	0	0
A. White, c.f.	2	0	1	1	0	0
Cularski, s.s.	3	0	0	2	4	0
Williams, p.	3	0	1	1	3	0
O'Leary, 1b.	3	0	0	11	0	0
Totals	34	0	6	27	13	2

By innings:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Punchard	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	—7

Two-base hit, Fredrickson. Stolen bases, Dyer, Stevenson, Souter 2, Coutts, Cooper. Sacrifice hits, Fredrickson. Double plays, R. White to O'Leary. First base on errors, Punchard 2. Bases on balls, off Wright 1, off Williams 3. Hits, off Wright 6 in 9 innings; off Connors 2 in 1 inning; off Williams 11 in 8 innings. Hit by pitcher, by Williams, Dodge, Wright. Struck out, by Wright 7, by Connor 1, by Williams 4. Umpires, Johnson and Smith. Time, 1:45.

Rebekahs' Memorial Service

Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge, I. O. O. F., met Monday night in Odd Fellows' hall and after the business session the annual memorial service was held.

Mrs. Carl E. Elander, noble grand, was in charge, and said that this year the chain was unbroken, no member having passed away. Mrs. Charles S. Buchan, past noble grand, conducted the devotional part of the service and hymns were finely rendered by Miss Sadie McLeish, and Miss Etta Brown. Miss Bean was accompanist.

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At the last meeting of the season of Andover Chapter, O. E. S., held in Masonic hall Tuesday evening, Miss Alice S. Coutts, worthy matron, presented Mrs. Emily Eldredge of Melrose, past grand matron, with a beautiful bar pin studded with diamonds. Mrs. Eldredge was instructress when the chapter was organized and the gift was in appreciation of her excellent work.

A short memorial service for a past grand patron who has recently died was held and Miss Mary Caldwell sang "One Sweetly Solemn Thought."

An excellent report of the recent State Convention at Springfield, was given by Mrs. Harry Sellars, associate matron.

The Chapter will take part in the parade of the National Masonic clubs in Boston, Wednesday afternoon, June 13. The Chapter will be represented with a float.

Piedmont Quartet at South Church

A quartet from Piedmont college, Demorest, Georgia, gave a concert Sunday night at the South church and sang sacred songs, folk songs and southern melodies in a delightful manner. Violin solos were rendered by Russell Locke.

The story of the work of the college, in which the South church is particularly interested since one of its members is a worker there, was told by Leslie Brown, one of its students.

The members of the quartet are: Leslie Brown, first tenor; Russell Locke, second tenor and violinist; Martin Stinecipher, first bass; Jesse Stinecipher, second bass. These boys are all members of the junior class at the college and are touring the northeastern states in order to procure funds for their alma mater.

The first numbers were sacred music. "The King of Love" and "The Way of the Cross."

The next two were southern melodies, "Carry Me Back to Old Virginny" and "In the Evening by Moonlight." Mr. Brown and Mr. Locke sang "Art Thou Weary" as a duet. This was dollowed by "Massa's in the Cold, Cold Ground," Martin Stinecipher singing the words and the other members of the quartet imitating a banjo accompaniment. The concert concluded with a fine rendition of "Praise Ye the Father."

Leslie Brown gave a short talk on what the college stands for in the South, saying that it was the only college in that vicinity where a poor boy could work his way. Tuition, fees, board and everything but books cost only $259 per pupil a year, and there is very little to depend on in the way of endowments for salaries. He said that the boys were touring the East in the hope of paying off the teachers their full salaries by the end of this school year.

Piedmont college is in the foothills of the Blue Ridge mountains, and is delightfully located. The college is for the mountain whites of this region, those people who in Revolutionary days went into the mountains and have since been secluded. The mountain whites are pure American stock, but are the most illiterate people in the United States, very little having been done for them until within the past few years. Piedmont college was founded by Dr. C. C. Spence, a Methodist preacher of the south, and a son of the old slave-holding aristocracy. The mountain whites at the time of the Civil war were worse off than the negro slaves and were treated with contempt whenever they made their appearance in the towns of the south.

The college in meeting practical needs, secured land and established truck gardens, dairy, cannery and piggery, began to put out orchards and established a dozen or more industries by which students may earn their way.

The college is co-educational, with a very nearly equal division of the sexes. Its students come from many states, fourteen now being represented in its student body. About equal numbers come from the mountains and the lowlands, and practically all are from the sturdy stock of the rural south. A New England pastor visiting one of the feeders of Piedmont college in the lowlands wrote of the school: "The number of six-footers there is unreasonable."

Piedmont is not a class college, as its students come from all classes; but it is shaping its plans and giving its efforts chiefly to the reaching of the youth of the rural south as they are found in the mountain cabins and in the homes of the small farms. It gets the earnest, the eager and the aspiring from these homes, and the educational achievements in both intellect and character are amazing.

It is a college unique in spiritual power, strong in its intellectual work, practical in its methods of giving opportunity, vigorous in supplying the needs and possibilities of an unequaled field, doing and ready to do a work of training in citizenship and leadership whose value to the nation cannot be estimated. It challenges the friends of Christian education and those who believe in developing the manpower of this nation, to support in a worthy way its efforts to supply these hitherto unsupplied needs.

An offertory was taken for the expenses of the boys and pledge cards were distributed to those who wished to help in the work of Piedmont by giving larger sums later on.

Half Million Dollar Building and Endowment Fund For Bradford

With an organization that stretched from Canada to Los Angeles, comprising 220 chairmen and some 600 workers, the alumnae of Bradford Academy have raised $200,000 which they are giving to their alma mater as an anniversary present on the 120th commencement to be held for the graduating class of the first school in this country to open its doors to women. Special recognition of the untiring efforts of the alumnae will form part of the exercises.

The gift comes from some four thousand women, every one of whom has either worked for the campaign for a Half Million Dollar Building and Endowment Fund for Bradford Academy, or has been approached personally by one of the workers. The individual alumnae have given, or gotten, $275 whenever it has been humanly possible. This quota has been pledged in some cases by women who expecr to earn the money, in other cases by women who believe in their ability to solicit it from their friends, or who will give bridge parties to raise their quotas.

This spirit of loyalty to the present need of the school, which is for two new buildings and a permanent endowment fund, has been a factor in the raising of money for the fund from other sources. In keeping with the tradition of service, the women who have gone out from Bradford have worked to keep intact the standard and caliber of the school for those to come.

Founded in 1803, Bradford Academy was a pioneer in the field of higher education for women. Benjamin Greenleaf, noted author of mathematics textbooks, was one of the early principals of the school. Miss Marion Coats, present principal, is a well known writer on educational subjects. At present Bradford Academy is leading in the Junior College idea in New England.

TEACHERS APPOINTED

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training teacher, Frank Leslie Coffin of Brunswick, Maine, has been elected. He is a student of the art department of Bowdoin college.

The financial report for the month is as follows:

General expenses	$523.00
Expenses of instruction	7491.98
Textbooks: High	143.81
Expenses of operation	515.62
Fuel	66.00
Maintenance	93.38
Auxiliary agencies	693.00
Miscellaneous	251.68
Totals	$9778 47

Police Court Notes

In police court Monday, Joseph Traub of Methuen, charged with violation of the auto laws, had his case filed.

Roy Marland of Ballardvale, twelve years of age, was committed to the Essex County Industrial school.

Jerry Looney, charged with assault and battery on Chin Suey, following a discussion about a laundry check, was fined $5.

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Those who read the daily papers or who keep in touch with the movie news-reels need not be reminded of the shipload of acts and animals recently imported by the Greatest Show on Earth. The remarkable cargo including two companies of baby elephants are now joined with the forty adults of the mammoth herd. There were also 100 more performing horses accompanied by Europe's greatest trainer and many wild animals, some of which have been added to the scores upon scores of trained jungle beasts, while others have become part of the marvelous menagerie.

More than a million persons saw the mammoth new circus of 1923 during the weeks that it exhibited in Madison Square Garden, New York. Now this marvelous exhibition is touring the country aboard five great trains. It is a third bigger than the Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey show of last season. It is ten times larger than any other circus now on tour.

Big as is this wonder circus of 1923 — with its more than thirty trained wild animal displays in steel arenas, fully 200 wonderfully schooled horses, 700 men and women performers, 100 clowns, and scores of features — the price of admission is no more than before. And though the trained animal numbers and the immense horse show were circuses in themselves while touring Europe, they are not offered as separate attractions by the Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey combined shows. Instead all are on one gigantic program. Everything is in one mammoth main tent. One ticket admits to all these and to the tremendous double menagerie. There are more than a thousand animals in the zoo of this circus and these include entire families of hippopotami and giraffes. Another remarkable zoological feature is an armored rhinoceros, the only one known to exist and alone worth $50,000.

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Gives Program in Lawrence Studio

Miss Martha Smith of Elm street, assisted by Hildegard Brandegee Livingstone, violin, and Marjorie Patten Weaver, 'cello gave a recital in her studio in the Gleason building Lawrence, on Wednesday evening.

The program:

Sonatina in G minor for Violin and Piano *Schubert*
Allegro giusto
Andante
Menuetto. Allegro vivace
Allegro moderato
Sonata in G minor for Cello and Piano *Beethoven*
Adagio sostenuto ed espressivo
Allegro molto piu tosto presto
Rondo. Allegro
Trio in B flat *Mosari*
Allegro
Larghetto
Allegretto

Free Church School Wins Inter-School Attendance Contest

The Free Church school won the Inter-Church school attendance contest and earned the right to send two representatives to Camp Andover this summer. The prize of $10 for the class having the highest attendance was won by Miss Clara A. Putnam's class of eight young ladies of the West church.

The Free church school committee comprising Rev. Arthur S. Wheelock, pastor, Rev. F. A. Wilson, pastor-emeritus and William J. Mitchell, the school's enthusiastic superintendent, after much consideration named Miss Mabel Walker and John Souter to represent the Free church school at Camp Andover and they will attend the older boys' and girls' camp in August for girls and July for boys.

The winners were chosen because of leadership, character and attendance and also in the belief that they could carry something of value to Camp Andover. Both are students at Punchard High and have shown marked qualities of leadership in many activities of the school and of the Free church. Each class named candidates for the honor and these two were chosen.

The contest began last October and the Free, South, West and Baptist schools entered. For several weeks the race was close with the first three alternating in the lead. One Sunday the West church had a 100 percent attendance. The Baptist church dropped out, at that time having a percentage of 75. The Free church assumed the lead early in the year and maintained it to the close which was Sunday, May 27. The percentages of the three schools were: Free, 91; South, 89; West, 88.

The percentage of Miss Putnam's class was nearly perfect and including teacher and pupils and their mark was 97 4-10.

The contest aroused much interest in the church schools and the victory of the Free church school was due in a great measure to the influence and personality of the superintendent, William J. Mitchell. Camp Andover opens July 2 and the Free church will have representatives in every division during the season.

The King's Daughters Elect Officers

The Courteous Circle of The King's Daughters of the South church met Monday night in the vestry and elected officers. The following were chosen: Mrs. V. D. Harrington, president; Mrs. Chester D. Abbott, vice president; Mrs. Harold Austin, recording secretary; Miss Florence Abbott, corresponding secretary; Miss Grace Jenkins, treasurer; Miss Jennie S. Hunter, auditor; committee chairmen: devotional, Mrs. Thaxter Eaton; Mrs. G. Edgar Folk; social, Mrs. Ralph Hadley Mrs. Harlan C. Newell; remembrance, Mrs. H. F. Chase, Mrs. P. J. Look; hospital, Mrs. Joseph Blunt, Mrs. C. J. Francis; lookout, Miss C. Madeleine Hewes; birthday, Mrs. Fay D. Kinney.

Natural History Outing

Several members of the Andover Natural History society enjoyed a trip to Jones meadow in the vicinity of the old John B. Jenkins' place Tuesday afternoon, and identified about thirty varieties of wild flowers. A basket lunch was carried

Thos present were: Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Tenney Brewster, Rev. C. Norman Bartlett, Omar P. Chase, Miss Alice Weare, Catherine Stewart, Mrs. Cecelia Derrah, Miss Clara Putnam, Miss Addie Abbott, Mrs. Frank M. Foster and William Harnden Foster, Jr.

CONTRACT AWARDED

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Lawrence, consequently wanted the lower-line sewer constructed and argued that Andover should pay the full cost in return for the rights and privileges of entry granted through Lawrence.

Representative Charles E. Abbott conducted the Andover side of the hearing. Alderman John A. Flannagan was present when the hearing opened and he and City Engineer Robert W. Priestman represented Lawrence. Mayor Daniel W. Mahony, Alderman Peter Carr, Alderman William H. D. Vose, Alderman Patrick F. McNulty did not arrive until a few minutes before the hearing closed, when Mayor Mahony was permitted to speak and register additional opposition. Assistant City Engineer Frank Blackstock and Clerk William Hale of the Board of Health were also present.

Attorney Fred N. Chandler, appearing for Edward Greene, stated that 50 of the choicest acres of land owned by his client, would not be drained by the sewer because of its level.

Andover was represented by Philip L. Hardy, William McIntire, Arthur E. Boutwell, Edward P. Shattuck and Walter I. Morse of the board of public works and Superintendent Frank L. Cole.

Richard A. Hale and Roland A. Prescott appeared for the Essex company, Fred E. Wallace for the Pacific mills and F. C. Sheppard for the Boston and Maine railroad. Robert S. Weston and George A. Sampson, consulting engineers on the sewer project, explained the plans to the department

Representative Abbott told the department that the bill passed this year giving Andover permission to run its sewer through Lawrence was not new legislation but merely confirmed Chapter 386, Acts of 1895, which gave Andover similar permission which was never used. He asked approval of the upper-line sewer, stating that it is the only one ever considered by Andover and the one included in the bill which Lawrence approved. Dr. Abbott said that the lower-level sewer came as a secondary proposition from Lawrence a month after the bill was passed by the legislature. He informed the department that Andover has put in a 30-inch pipe in its plans, instead of a 24-inch one, for the accommodation of Lawrence. Dr. Abbott declared that Andover was not opposed to building the lower-line sewer, but could not see why it should pay the additional $35,000 in cost when Lawrence will be the sole beneficiary. Andover has not enough money to build the lower-line sewer, even if it so wished. As regards the rights and privileges of passing through Lawrence, he said, the legislature has ruled that a city or town may not be charged for them by the community granting the same.

Since Lawrence has made no offer to share in the expense of a lower-line sewer, Andover is proceeding with the plan as originally outlined.

Past Masters' Night

St. Matthew's lodge, A. F. and A. M. observed its annual past masters' night in Masonic hall Monday night with eleven of the eighteen living past masters present.

Wor. Nesbit G. Gleason of Cambridge was worshipful master and performed the work in a very efficient manner, assisted by the following past masters: Wor. Henry A. Bodwell, S. W.; Wor. Charles N. Marland, J.W.; Wor. Thomas David, treasurer; Wor. James Anderson, secretary; Bro. Albert E. Hulme, chaplain; Wor. William A. Allen, marshal; Wor. George M. R. Holmes, S. D.; Gordon R. Cannon, J. D.; Malcolm B. McTernen, S. S.; Wor. Walter H. Thompson, J. S.; Wor. Albert W. Lowe, I. S.

Music for the work was finely rendered by the Orpheus male quartet. An interesting event was the presentation of beautiful Masonic pins to Bro. Kenneth C. Foster and Bro. Austin F. Horeman by friends. Acting Worshipful Master Gleason made the presentation.

A collation was served at the close by Bro. Thomas E. Rhodes, caterer.

The organization of St. Matthews lodge: Roy H. Bradford, W. M.; Alexander Morrison, S.W.; Harry Sellars, J.W.; George A. Higgins, treasurer; George M. R. Holmes, secretary; Albert E. Hulme, chaplain; Malcolm B. McTernen, marshal; Elwin D. Lane, S.D.; Charles T. Gilliard, J.D.; Roy E. Hardy, S.S.; William D. McIntyre, J.S.; Philip R. Lowe, I.S.; Horace C. Bodwell, tyler.

Surprise Party for Teacher

The scholars in the sixth grade of the Central school gave a surprise party to their teacher, Miss Blanche Hinds, Monday afternoon in Punchard hall, the occasion being Miss Hinds' birthday.

She was inveigled into Miss Alice Stack's room on a pretext and while there, the children in her room slipped upstairs to the hall which they had previously decorated very prettily. When Miss Hinds appeared, she was much surprised and delighted at the children's thought of her. She was the recipient of a pair of candlesticks and a brass tray from the class as well as several individual gifts. Games were played and birthday favors distributed. Refreshments were served.

Holden Wins Master Checker Title

The Masters checker tourney begun Memorial Day at the Wells Memorial, Boston, was completed Saturday afternoon and William Holden, the Andover checker expert, won the championship from Victor C. Townsend of Waltham in one of the most bitterly contested finals for many years. Holden came through in the 14th game after 13 draws and won the championship and first prize money with the whites side on the Dundee opening. The new champion lost one game in the tourney to D. S. Taylor, in the second round. Each player had one win at the expiration of the time limit on Wednesday but Holden was fortunate on the ballot and entered the semi-final winning from Schwarz of the Wells Memorial.

The finals were started Wednesday and when play finished for the day Holden and Townsend had played eight drawn games. The tourney was adjourned till Saturday.

The tourney was open to all Master players in the country and the victory of Holden stamps him as one of the best checker players in the country. He has won many prizes in the annual master tourneys, but this is the first time he has won the championship. He has played here many times and has represented the Lawrence Checker club in many of his tournaments and has seldom lost.

Champion Holden's record in the Master's tourney follows:

1st round defeated M. Kiley. 1 win 1 draw.

2nd round, tied with D. S. Taylor. 1 win, 1 draw, 1 lost; entered semi-final on ballot.

Semi-final defeated M. Schwarz of the Wells Memorial, 1 win, 1 draw.

Final defeated Victor C. Townsend, 1 win, 13 draws.

Abbot Academy Necrology, 1922-23

The list includes forty-five former students and four teachers. Preceding the name is the date of leaving school, and following it is the place of last residence and the date of death.

1845 Ann E. Edwards (Mrs. Thomas N. Haskell), Denver, Col., September 2, 1921.
1849 Helen Phillips (Mrs. Hamilton Willis), London, England, May 4, 1923.
1853 Emily Stevens (Mrs. Francis H. Russell), Brookline, December 9, 1922.
1856 Emma E. Newman (Mrs. Nicholas Emmerson), Sierra Madre, Cal., July 15, 1922.
1856 Sarah A. Davis (Mrs. Charles W. Webber), Charleston, S. C., October 19, 1922.
1856 Abby L. Fletcher (Mrs. Thomas E. Whiting), Lawrence, June 2, 1922.
1856 Eliza A. Hardy (Mrs. Asher B. Burdick), Groton, N. Y., December 25, 1922.
1856 Lucretia P. Howe (Mrs. William J. Pingree), Jamaica Plain, December 29, 1922.
1856 Eliza J. Stimson (Mrs. Jules Levy), Boston, March 29, 1923.
1858 Charlotte H. Swift, Andover, January 15, 1923.
1860 Charlotte M. Barrows (Mrs. Charles H. Hitchcock), Redlands, Cal., October, 1922.
1860 Emelina B. Lamson (Mrs. Everitte St. John), Great Barrington, died Andover, March 7, 1923.
1861 Laura S. Tenney (Mrs. William H. Hawkes), Plainfield, N. J., November 21, 1922.
1863 Susan M. Johnson (Mrs. John C. Sears), Andover, April 25, 1923.
1864 Susanna W. Smith, Boston, November 1, 1922.
1865 Charlotte C. Woodman, Bucksport, Me., May, 1922.
1865 Elizabeth W. Plummer (Mrs. Henry E. Bowen), Plainfield, N. J., June 27, 1922.
1866 Mary A. Gleason (Mrs. Joseph K. Colby), Methuen, December 22, 1922.
1867 Clementine Emerson (Mrs. Herbert Loud), Everett, February 16, 1923.
1867 Nellie H. Holmes, Ballardvale, June 16, 1922.
1867 Susan A. Storer, Waldoboro, Me., January 26, 1923.
1867 Floretta Vining, Hull, February 1, 1922.
1868 Theodora Merrihew (Mrs. James G. Rieck), New York City, January 1, 1923.
1869 Emily A. Means, Boston, died Cambridge, June 28, 1922.
1869 Josephine F. Davenport (Mrs. William Vandervoort), Roxbury, February 17, 1923.
1872 Helen N. Robinson (Mrs. Louis A. Woodbury), Groveland, died Haverhill, February 24, 1923.
1873 Mary T. Hill (Mrs. Volney W. Howe), Gardner, April 6, 1923.
1875 Harriet P. Cutler (Mrs. Eugene D. Jefferson), Philadelphia, Pa., November 25, 1922.
1876 Jessie Cole (Mrs. Charles B. F. Pease), Amsterdam, N. Y., June 1, 1923.
1876 Olive N. Twichell (Mrs. Lyndon S. Crawford), Trebizond, Turkey, April 10, 1923.
1877 Mary L. Douglass (Mrs. Henry B. F. Macfarland), Washington, D. C., died Philadelphia, Pa., March 9, 1923.
1878 Nellie E. Abbott (Mrs. Joseph A. Sawyer), Owatonna, Minn., December 22, 1922.
1879 Martha W. Heywood (Mrs. Charles D. Burrage), Boston, February 17, 1923.
1886 Mary A. Bybee (Mrs. Walter L. Milliken), Indianapolis, Ind., January 2, 1922.
1887 Josephine L. Lacy (Mrs. James M. Dickey), Wayne, Pa., October 2, 1922.
1887 Sarah A. Pettee, Manchester, N. H., May 6, 1922.
1894 Eva M. Converse, Sandwich, June 7, 1922.
1897 Pearl B. Randall (Mrs. Watson L. Wasson), Burlington, Vt., September 11, 1922.
1906 Carrie E. Johnson, Hallowell, Me., died Washington, D. C., May 11, 1923
1913 Clara D. Robinson (Mrs. Herbert W. Pecker), Boston, January 1, 1923.
1914 Helen R. Moody, West Brighton, N. Y., February 15, 1923.
1916 Grace M. Duffill (Mrs. George P. French), Wakefield, January 8, 1922.
1917 Grace L. Prescott (Mrs. Edwin J. Emmons, Jr.), New Milford, Ct., May 14, 1923.
1920 Alice A. Davis, Duluth, Minn., March 9, 1923.
1920 Ruth A. Esson, Pelham Manor, N. Y., March 4, 1923.
Teacher 1871-72 Elizabeth A. Barnett (Mrs George C. Hitt), Worcester, March 3, 1923.
Teacher 1875-78 Adela L. Payson (Mrs. Edward P. Usher), Grafton, November 21, 1922.
Teacher 1909-17 Gertrude E. Sherman, Springfield, March 10, 1923
Teacher 1917-18, 1919-22 Mrs. Florence (Stelle) Wright, Wallingford, Ct., October 28, 1922.

Attend Annapolis Graduation

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan C. Hamblin left Tuesday for Annapolis to attend the graduation of their son, Dow Hamblin, held on Thursday. Miss Elisabeth Hamblin also attended the exercises.

Dow Hamblin, who received the rank of ensign, entered the naval academy from Punchard. He was the youngest entrant and passed the examinations with a very high mark. All through his course he has maintained the same high standard.

He has been assigned to U. S. S. Birmingham, scout cruiser, but will enjoy a month's leave at his home before beginning his active duties.

Circle of Friendship Elects Officers

The Circle of Friendship of Christ church held its last business meeting of the year on Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Charlotte Hill on Washington avenue

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, Mrs. William C. Bliss; first vice president, Mrs. Fred Westcott; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Osborne Sutton.

On June 21, the members of the Circle of Friendship will enjoy a dinner at Parker river. This will be the closing event of the season.

Real Estate Transfers

The following real estate transactions were recorded throughout the week at the Lawrence registry of deeds office:

John Henderson to Smith & Dove.

Martha W. Packard to Margaret E. Hay.

Harold A. Ryan, et alii to Maud B. Ryan.

Florence A. Davis to Becky Krinsky.

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12.00. Church School in the vestries and Discussion Class in the auditorium.
6.30. Christian Endeavor meeting.
7.45 Wednesday. Midweek service led by the minister.

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Rev. Newman Matthews, Pastor

10.30. Public worship with sermon by the pastor.
12.00. Sunday School.
7.30. C. E. meeting at home of Mrs. Carter.
7.45 Wednesday. Meeting for prayer and conference.
7.45 Friday. Choir rehearsal under the direction of Mrs. Wright.

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10.30. Morning service conducted by Dr. Stearns.
4.30. Vesper service with baccalaureate sermon by Rev. Willard L. Sperry, D.D., of Cambridge.

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Rev. Fr. Nugent, Pastor

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Third Sunday of month, Communion day for Holy Name Society.
Fourth Sunday of month, Communion day for Children of Mary.
Holy Name Society meets fourth Monday evening of each month.
Sacred Heart Sodality meets first Friday evening of each month.
Knights of Good Counsel meet second Wednesday evening of each month.
Promoters of Propagation of the Faith, second Thursday evening of each month.
Altar boys meet first Monday evening of each month.

FREE CHURCH

Elm Street

Congregational. Organized 1840

Rev. Arthur S. Wheelock, Pastor

9.15. Church School.
10.30. Children's Day service. Baptism of infants, presentation of Bibles, and exercises by members of the Church School.
6.30. Christian Endeavor.
7.45 Wednesday. Midweek meeting.
7.15 and 8.00 Thursday. Rehearsals of the choirs.
9.00 Saturday. Alpha Phi Chi picnic.

CHRIST CHURCH

Central Street

Episcopal Organized 1835

Rev. C. W. Henry, Rector

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10.30. Morning prayer and sermon.
12.00. Church School commencement.
9.00 Monday. Holy communion.

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7.45 Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

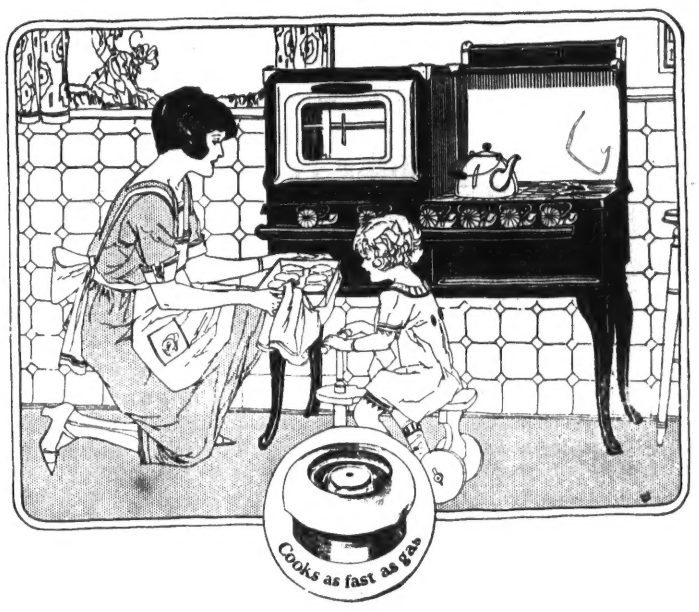
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An Insidious Practice

The town is called to its first special meeting of the year next Tuesday ostensibly to discuss the appropriation of several hundred thousand dollars for the construction of a public school. The discussion of the three articles which cover this appropriation will presumably be a cut and dried affair. The question involved has already been submitted to a town meeting, has received the consideration of the townspeople and has been voted upon. Tuesday's meeting is called for the purpose of giving the town permission to borrow the necessary moneys outside the debt limit to proceed with the construction as outlined, it being first necessary to obtain the permission of the state before such borrowing can be accomplished. This step has already been taken. The action at the regular meeting in March, authorized the town to petition the state for such permission, while Tuesday's action, if it is positive, will permit the town to actually borrow the money and proceed with the work.

But the warrant contains six other articles, one of which, the ninth, is the usual addendum to every warrant. The other five represent the results of a peculiarly insidious practice which has crept into the town's affairs in the last few years, that of introducing a number of small, comparatively inconspicuous articles, some of them containing appropriations, into just such a warrant as will be considered Tuesday, where the main points of discussion are liable to be mere technicalities and where they present no great issue. It is hard to discriminate between the good and the bad in such a situation, yet it is undeniably true that any article calling for an appropriation, whether it be large or small, should receive the consideration of more of the town's voters than are usually present at a special meeting called for a definite purpose. It is undoubtedly unfair to the sponsors of any of the five articles, to suggest that these articles are being submitted to a special meeting with the hope that they will meet with better success than they might at a regular meeting. Yet the fact remains that the appropriation of a large sum of money in one lump, such as occurs at the yearly meeting, tends to make the meeting more cautious in its inspection of special articles than it might be at a special meeting. Compared to our annual appropriation, $15,000 is truly a small drop in a flowing bucket, yet it represents an addition of more than a dollar to our already mounting tax rate, and there is still time for several more special meetings before the end of the year.

The Townsman does not wish to join the "calamity howlers." Their ranks are already filled to overflowing. But it would seem a wise thing to take such action on the articles presented as would at least tend to destroy the idea that special town meetings are held for the purpose of discussing leftovers from the regular meeting. It would be a pleasure to be able to record that the attendance and interest at a special meeting in every way equalled that of the regular meeting, but the plain fact is, that unless some subject is under discussion which is a matter of general controversy throughout the town, special meetings do not "bring 'em out."

Article 4 asks for an appropriation of $9000.00 for the reconstruction of Haverhill street from Main street to the railroad bridge. There is no question about the need for this work. Haverhill street has been in a more disgraceful condition than almost any other thoroughfare in the town, since the beginning of construction in Shawsheen Village. Difficult of travel in dry weather, it is a mucky mess after even a slight rainfall. It receives as much travel as any street in the town at the present time, and its condition cannot help but hinder the progress of construction work. Yet there was no call for new construction on it at the regular meeting. Surely its condition cannot have become much worse in the last three months, else it would have been closed as an impassable street. It has been suggested that the town favor the use of money already appropriated for other new construction in place of any further expenditure, and such action seems the only wise course to follow. That the work is necessary is beyond a shadow of doubt, but it would seem very unwise to strengthen the establishment of a bad precedent by appropriating a further sum for this work.

Article 5 asks for a new pumping unit at the Haggett's pond station. Since Andover has a most enviable reputation for the favoring of any expenditure which has anything to do with the water department it is safe to assume that this article will meet with the almost unanimous approval of the assemblage next Tuesday, flights of oratory to the contrary notwithstanding. Probably the pump is actually needed anyway.

Article 6 asks the town to accept as a town way a private way running from Chestnut street to Summer street. It is a harmless enough article to be sure, but it does not belong in a special meeting. A special meeting is an emergency measure, provided to take care of just such situations as arise in the appropriation of money beyond the debt limit. It is a misuse of the meeting to offer such an article for consideration.

In Article 7, the town is asked to do another small job, which however involves the expenditure of several small dollars. The question of the lowering of Rogers brook has been mentioned casually for years. Why the coming meeting should be a logical time for the consideration of and the taking of action on the situation is without the ken of most of the townspeople who are not personally affected. It would be difficult to predict the outcome of discussion on this article, particularly if some back-row enthusiasts should chance to say "Give 'em the water" at the wrong time.

The Townsman covered the question of garbage removal fully in its last issue but it does not hesitate to say that Article 8 comes equally within bounds prescribed for the four articles above. Under ordinary circumstances, discussion of the situation belongs primarily in a regular meeting. The Board of Health has been endeavoring to get some action on the question of town disposal for several years, but it may be safely stated that at no time has the situation been such a serious one for those who have not the facilities of a spade and a large back yard, as it is today.

Editorial Cinders

The Townsman hopes that the appointment of Kerr Sparks as a regular fireman will prove to have been a wise choice. Mr. Sparks has all the qualities necessary to recommend him for the position, except his name.

The classic of schoolboy baseball will be played at Exeter tomorrow. The dope gives Andover the best of the argument, but the hunch betters are putting much stock in the fact that past A-E contests seem to go to the underdog only too frequently, and that something will have to happen to even up the sting of last Saturday's defeat at Andover. They are also considering the decisive defeat which Punchard administered to Exeter last Saturday as an ill omen for the success of the Andover team. But, of course, the best team will win.

Abbot Academy Notes

The pupils of the violin and voice department at the school gave a very interesting recital on Saturday afternoon in Davis hall.

Dr. Cornelius Patton of Boston, was the speaker at the regualr weekly service in Davis hall on Sunday evening, after which Mr. Howe gave a short organ recital. Before the service, Dr. Patton showed a collection of rosaries, which he had gathered from various countries, mostly the heathen countries.

The final examinations began on Thursday.

Soccer Notes

On Monday evening at 6.15 at Balmoral Field, Smith & Dove Juniors and Methuen will again contest for the finals in the George M. Wallace cup series.

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CHILDREN'S DAY SERVICES

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Primary Song—Samuel
Bible Story—Jesus presented in the temple
Read by Barbara Folk
Baptismal Procession at 11.15
Offering for Mission Sunday Schools
Benediction
Distribution of Plants

The special services in observance of Children's Day will be held at the Free church Sunday morning. The larger part of the service will be carried out by the children themselves. The pastor will preach a short, children's sermon, and the rite of baptism will be administered.

Bibles will be presented to children who have been baptized in the church and have attained the age of seven years as follows: George Ingram Barclay, Jr., Isabella Ella Batchelder, John Haddon Black, Jr., Mary Ann Low Black, Elizabeth Lawson Buchan, Evaline Amelia Cairnie, Sarah Jane Cooper, Elizabeth Archibald Croy, Elizabeth Coulter Deyermond, Helen Sutherland Ferrier, Marion Nicoll Fettes, Donald Gorrie, John Edward Anderson Gorrie, Helen Keir Holden, George Baxter Keith, Chester Lawrence Low, Robert Henry Murray Maclaren, Mary Alice McColley, Margaret Isabel Neil, Robert Donald Nicoll, Robert Thompson Nicoll, William Norris Perry, John Phelps Taylor Petrie, Ruth Elizabeth Pierce, Shirley Frances Platt, Beatrice Smith Rennie, Margaret Petrie Ryley, James Skea, Albert Russell Svenson, David McIntosh Thomson, James Watt Thomson, Jr., Allan Randolph Trott, Anna Elizabeth Waldie, Margaret Higgins Waldie, George Calder Scrimgeour Williams.

The program:

Organ Prelude—The Infant Jesus *Von*
Beauteous Are the Flowers of Earth
Choir in rear of Church
Processional with Flowers
Call to Worship

1. THE CHILDREN IN THE TEMPLE
Carol—We bring sweet flowers
Jessie Bissett and Junior Choir
God Is Love—Bible verses Primary Group
Jesus Presented in the Temple—Reading from Luke
Daisy Stevens
Baptismal Service
Prayer for Babies Primary Department
Song of Welcome to Babies Jessie Coutts
Hymn of Thanks Congregation

2. THE HEAVENLY FATHER'S LOVE AND CARE
Recitation—Room for All the Children
Katherine Jamieson, Mary Winkley, Margaret Edger, Doris Chadwick
Recitation—He cares for me Isabel Batchelder
Song—God, make my life a little light
Primary Department
Carol—I hear the children's voices Senior Choir

3. JESUS, THE FRIEND OF LITTLE CHILDREN
Reading from Mark Carl Swenson
Story Hymn—I think when I read Congregation
Prayer for Children
Prayer Response—Suffer the little children Choir

4. THE KING'S OTHER CHILDREN
Be Ye Doers of the Word
May McGrath, Gertrude Scannell, Helen Scannell, Emma Stevens, Margaret Laurie,
Choir Response
The Two Great Commandments
James Culpon, James Greig, Stanley Swanton
Choir Response
The Greatest of These Is Love
Abbot Batchelder, Barbara Hickok, Milton Jackson, Elizabeth Perry, Howard Walker, David Petrie, George Simpson
Choir Response
Solo—Christ, Friend of Little Children
Children's Sermon by the Pastor
Offertory, Andante—*Beethoven*
Bibles presented to baptized children who have reached the age of seven
Recessional
Organ Postlude—Sursum Corda *Diggle*

Tea Room to Be Opened for Commencement Season

A tea room will be opened by the Alpha Phi Chi Sorority of the South Church, June 11 and 14, for the benefit of Commencement guests of both Abbot and Phillips Academies and the townspeople.

Weather permitting, tables will be placed on the lawn of the church, otherwise the food will be served in the vestry.

This is not strictly for commencement guests, but for everyone. The public is most cordially invited. The food will be served at very reasonable prices and it is hoped that a large number of the church people will avail themselves of this opportunity.

The tea room will be open from 5 to 7 on Monday, June 11, and at the same hours Thursday, June 14.

Engagement Announced at Luncheon

At a luncheon given today by Mrs. Peirson S. Page the engagement was announced of Miss Edith Ensign Page to William Claypool Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Dupre Bennett of Somerville.

Miss Page is the eldest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Peirson S. Page of Main street. She is a graduate of Abbot academy, Class of 1921, and has been studying art at the School of Design and Fine Arts, Boston.

Mr. Bennett is a graduate of Phillips Exeter academy and will graduate next week from Harvard where he is a member of many leading clubs.

A Tribute

ANTOINETTE HALL TAYLOR

Andover suffers a distinct loss in the passing of another of her old-time residents.

For nearly forty years Mrs. Taylor had occupied the homestead at 22 School street. She was born of an old and prominent New Haven family, the Halls, and from them she inherited strong New England traits.

In the late 60's she was married to Rev. Dr. John Phelps Taylor, late professor of Sacred Rhetoric in the Andover Theological Seminary, and their early married life was spent in the Congregational parishes of Middletown, Conn., Newport, R. I., and New London, Conn. Her Andover loyalties were chiefly shown in a most cordial interest in the November Club of which she was one of the earliest members and endorsers; in the Seminary Church of whose life both here and abroad she was a staunch supporter; in her practical assistance to those in particular need; in her abiding support of the International School for girls at Madrid; the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and many other worthy interests and charities.

Mrs. Taylor was an intelligent traveler and widely read—the leading authors and their works were personal friends and one privileged to converse with her at leisure will always recall with pleasure her keen sense of humor, her comprehensive and accurate survey of current matters in world affairs, her original and fascinating descriptions.

Mrs. Taylor with her splendid heritage, tastes, social gift and marked mentality was a type of gentlewoman—quite too rare in this generation and representing an era which seems in many respect to be passing.

Masonic Clubs Parade

The parade of the Massachusetts Federation of Masonic Clubs, which will be held in Boston on next Wednesday, June 13, is expected to be the largest gathering of its kind that Boston has seen for many years. It is estimated that there will be close to 15,000 people in line and that every state in the union will be represented.

The local chapter of the Eastern Star has arranged to send a float accompanied by several members and the Masonic Club expects to send a large delegation.

These two organizations will be placed in the twelfth division which will form on Dartmouth street, right resting on the south side of Commonwealth avenue. Members who intend to join in the parade must be in line not later than two o'clock.

Deaths

June 5, 1923, Mary Ann Rushworth of Shawsheen road, aged 73 years 7 months and 8 days.

June 6, 1923, Antoinette Hall Taylor, widow of John Phelps Taylor, at 22 School street, aged 87 years 10 months and 19 days.

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"BE REASONABLE" — A MACK SENNETT COMEDY.
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THURSDAY, JUNE 14
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"IN THE DAYS OF BUFFALO BILL."
COMEDY.
PATHE NEWS.

Program Announced for Punchard Alumni Reunion

All Punchard Alumni, no matter how numerous their engagements during the busy Commencement days of the next two weeks, are asked to save the evening of June 22, for the annual banquet and reunion of the Punchard Alumni Association. The past days of severe heat have not daunted the committee in charge of this event. Tickets for the banquet are being sold, final plans are being made, and from all indications the third of these June reunions is to be an even bigger success than the two preceding ones have been, more successful in every respect but one. Last year the hall was full, with every seat occupied. This year it will hold no more; only a certain number can be accommodated. Otherwise there are no limitations to the enjoyment of the evening.

It has been a matter of regret that it has been impossible, owing to the smaller floor space, to hold the banquet in Punchard hall, and utilize the class rooms downstairs for the individual class reunions. The crowded conditions in the lower town hall, however, which have proved so uncomfortable in the past, will be relieved this year. The American Legion has kindly offered the use of its rooms in the Barnard block, and there the special reunion classes from 1873 to 1918, by five years, will gather, before proceeding at 6.45 to the Town hall for the banquet.

Further notice in regard to this will be sent out by the various class secretaries.

Circular letters of invitation were sent out by the Executive Committee yesterday to all the alumni. They contained a notice of the evening's program which will be as follows:

6.00 — Class reunions begin.

6.45 — Banquet served by Caterer Weigel of Lawrence.

8.00 — Addresses, followed by an entertainment given by the Orpheus Male Quartet, of Lawrence, and Francis Verigan, a student of Phillips Academy. Mr. Verigan, who is a pure blooded Indian, has already delighted many Andover people, by his readings.

The chief speaker of the evening will be Congressman John Jacob Rogers, who is always well worth hearing. Older alumni of the school will be interested in the presence of Mrs. Edward C. Mason of Winchester, who thirty-five years ago, as Miss Martha Sprague, was a Punchard teacher. Mrs. Mason is very prominent in the work of the Parent-Teachers Association, being now president of the Massachusetts organization. A third speaker will be Mrs. Walter V. Gulick (formerly Miss Eleanor Brooks, also a Punchard teacher) who is at present Dean of Women, at the College of Puget Sound, Tacoma, Washington. Granville K. Cutler, class of '85, will act as toastmaster. Other former teachers of the school will also be present as guests of honor, among them Charles L. Curtis, of Groton, Principal Hamblin's immediate predecessor.

It is planned to arrange the program this year in such a manner as to allow more time for the reunions of the classes, thus adding to the enjoyment of many old friends and classmates who wish to renew old friendships.

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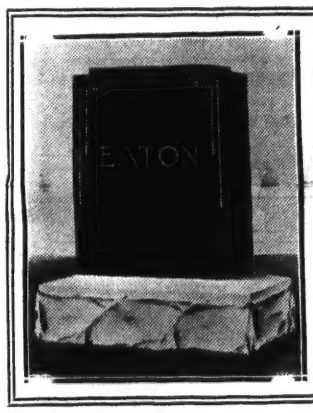
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COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

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principal's reception given to members of the senior class and their families, members of the faculty and their wives, and members of reunion classes.

Alumni class dinners will be held that same evening at half past six.

At the performance by the musical and dramatic clubs in the Borden Gymnasium on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, the glee-club will sing a "Serenade" by Haydn, the "Landsighting" by Greig, the "Sword of Ferrara" by Bullard, the Phillips Hymn, and "Hail to thee, New England village."

The Dramatic club will present two one-act plays; "The Pot Boiler" by Alice Gerstenberg, which was so successfully presented in March, and "The Farrell Case" by George M. Cohan. Both plays are light and amusing; the first, a satire on playwriting, and the second, a burlesque on the modern crook play.

The cast for "The Pot Boiler" includes, M. S. McComb, S. N. Scott, H. Dyer, W. Chappell, S. Riggs, R. O. Hereford, R. R. Stafford.

Those who will take part in "The Farrell Case" are F. Verigan, F. M. Scott, C. C. Bucknam, E. P. Crane, Eric Haigh, Leo Daley, J. H. Monroe, J. G. Bruce, F. L. Asher, E. L. Gray, J. V. Scaife, Jr., and W. J. Foote.

On Commencement day, Friday, June 15, the Class of 1898 will hold a memorial service in the Stone chapel at nine o'clock in the morning.

At ten, the procession of trustees, faculty, alumni, and members of the graduating class will leave Peabody house at 9.40 a.m. The initiation of the Cum Laude Scholarship society will take place at 10.00 a.m., the address being given by Frederick S. Jones, LL.D., Dean of Yale University. The commencement exercises with the awarding of prizes for the year and diplomas will be at 10.30 o'clock.

At the Commencement exercises the orchestra will play portions of Haydn's second symphony. Preceding the exercises the trombone choir will play selections from the new Memorial tower, the weather permitting.

The dedication of the Case Memorial building will take place at noon. The dedication of the Memorial Tower which was at first planned to take place at this time has been postponed until fall.

The alumni dinner will be held in the Borden gymnasium at one o'clock with Dr. Fred P. Murphy of Detroit, Mich., Class of 1893, presiding. The after-dinner speakers will be Hon. Dwight Davis, Assistant Secretary of War, Dwight W. Morrow, lawyer, a member of J. P. Morgan and Co., of New York City, and Principal Alfred E. Stearns. The dinner will be followed by the usual band concert and baseball game, Alumni vs. Academy, held on Brothers Field at four o'clock.

Reunions of the classes of '73, '78, '83, '88, '93, '98, '03, '08, and '13 will be held on Thursday and Friday, June 14 and 15.

Abbot Academy

The school rally will be held on the steps of old Abbot hall tomorrow evening, at quarter past seven, when all the classes will assemble wearing their class colors, and songs will be sung by the Glee club and various classes. The Draper reading will be omitted.

The baccalaureate sermon will be preached by Rev. Hugh Gordon Ross of Pittsfield, at the service held at the South church Sunday morning at half past ten.

The alumnae luncheon and business meeting will be held on Monday at noon with the senior reception to invited guests at four o'clock in the afternoon. The musical will be given in Davis hall at 8 o'clock.

On Tuesday, the tree and ivy planting exercises will take place at half past ten, after which the procession of trustees, faculty, and members of the school will be formed and proceed to the South church, where the commencement address will be delivered by Rev. Samuel McChord Crothers, D. D., of Cambridge, and the diplomas will be awarded.

Punchard High School

The Class Day exercises, including the history, prophecy, class gifts, advice to undergraduates and class will, are to be held on the school grounds, Wednesday afternoon, June 20, at half past four o'clock.

The graduation exercises, with the honor essays and presentation of diplomas will take place in the Town hall, Thursday evening at eight.

On Friday evening the reunion and banquet with after-dinner speakers, planned by the executive committee of the Punchard Alumni association will be held in the Town hall at 6.45 o'clock. Special reunions will be held by the five-year classes as well as by the classes of 1920, 1922.

The speakers will be Congressman John Jacob Rogers, Mrs. Edward C. Mason of Winchester, and Mrs. Walter V. Gulick of Tacoma, Washington. The Orpheus male quartet of Lawrence, will furnish music and there will be readings by Francis Verigan.

A more extended notice will be found in another column.

Junior High School

The graduation exercises of the pupils of the junior high school will be held in the Town hall, Thursday afternoon, June 21, at half past three o'clock. W. Dudley Yates of the School committee will give the address and Roy H. Bradford, chairman, will present the diplomas.

Obituaries

ISABELLA F. W. SHERRIFF

Miss Isabella F. W. Sheriff of 28 Walnut avenue, died Monday afternoon at the Essex sanatorium, Middleton. The deceased was born in Brechin, Scotland, 18 years ago but has lived in this vicinity for the past 17 years. She attended the Free Congregational church and was secretary of the Margaret Slattery Sunday school class. Miss Sheriff was a member of the junior class of the Lawrence High school. She is survived by her father, William Sherriff, and an uncle, Alexander W. Sheriff.

The funeral was held at the funeral chapel of E. L. Bennett, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Harry J. Newton, pastor of the Lawrence street church, officiated at the services. Burial was in Bellevue cemetery, Lawrence.

ANTOINETTE HALL TAYLOR

Antoinette Hall wife of the late Prof. John Phelps Taylor, died Tuesday evening, June 5, at her home, 22 School street, in her eighty-eighth year.

Funeral services conducted by Rev. Markham W. Stackpole, were held at the late residence, Thursday afternoon at two o'clock. A burial service was also held at Evergreen cemetery, New Haven, Conn., this afternoon.

Worthy Matron Presented With Traveling Bag

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stephenson of Hidden road entertained the Eastern Star officers with their husbands at a whist party in their home last evening. Cards were enjoyed during the early hours and the prize winners were: Mrs. Janet Lane, Mrs. Grace Sellars, John Houghton Flint and Horace C. Bodwell. Refreshments were served by the host and hostess, assisted by Mrs. Harlow Newell and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Billington. The ices were especially unique, being formed in various shapes.

One of the pleasing features of the party came just before the departure of the guests when Dr. Elwin D. Lane, in behalf of the gathering, presented the Worthy Matron, Miss Alice S. Coutts, with a fine traveling bag. Although completely surprised at being presented with this gift, Miss Coutts expressed her heartfelt thanks to the officers for their expression of devotion.

Those present included Dr. and Mrs. Elwin D. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sellars, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wadman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Buttrick, Mr. and Mrs. Dana W. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond E. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. George Wiswall, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chadwick, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Flint, Mr. and Mrs. David L. Coutts, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Coates, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley V. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Horace C. Bodwell, Mr. and Mrs. Harlow C. Newall, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Billington.

Plan Celebration of Flag Day

Exercises in observance of national Flag Day will be held under the auspices of Gen. William F. Bartlett, Woman's Relief Corps in the Town hall, Thursday evening, June 14.

The public is cordially invited to attend the exercises. No admission fee will be charged, but a silver collection will be taken.

Mrs. Franklin Valentine, past president, is chairman of the committee of arrangements and will preside at the exercises.

The program:

Address of Welcome	Mrs. Joseph Nuckley
Song—Star-Spangled Banner	Audience
Prayer	Rev. C. Norman Bartlett
Reading of the Flag Day Proclamation	Miss Sadie Hobbs
Violin and Piano Selection	Miss Ina Petrie, Miss Margaret Petrie
Recitation	Mrs. Hubert Mayo
Song	Pupils of the Stowe School
Address	Rev. C. Norman Bartlett
Flag Drill	Pupils of Parochial School
Violin and Piano Selection	Miss Ina Petrie, Miss Margaret Petrie
Song	Pupils of Stowe School
Reading	Mrs. Hubert Mayo
Song—America	Audience
Flag Salute	

Legion to Plan Fourth of July Celebration

At a meeting of the Andover Chamber of Commerce held Monday evening it was decided that Andover should have a Fourth of July celebration in charge of Andover Post 8, American Legion.

For several weeks there has been talk of a celebration and it was expected that the chamber would undertake the arrangements. In view of the fact that the Legion has handled it for the past three years it was decided Monday night to let the ex-service men go ahead. Desirous of giving the town a big day on the Fourth, the Legion boys ask the support of every citizen.

Plans for the day will be made at once and will include a bonfire at midnight the night before, possibly a horribles parade, sports in the afternoon, baseball game in the afternoon and a band concert and fireworks (if horribles parade is eliminated) at night.

The celebration requires money and the business men and houses will be canvassed for subscriptions. Citizens will also be asked to give and tags will be sold to help raise the amount needed.

The members of the committee chosen to make plans for the event are P. E. Wilson, Frank Markey, James Fairweather, Timothy Madden, Eric Hulme, and George Killacky.

Baptist Church Notes

Next Sunday morning the pastor will preach a special sermon for children on "How to Kill Giants." This is in observance of Children's day.

During the Sunday school hour an examination of twenty-five questions on the work of the quarter will be given to all the children in the junior and intermediate departments. Prizes will be given to the two who get the highest marks in this examination, and will be awarded at the Bible school concert the following Sunday.

Sunday morning, June 17, the Odd Fellows and the Rebekahs will attend the church in a body for their annual Memorial service. Rev. C. Norman Bartlett will preach the sermon.

The Bible school will hold its children's day concert during the Sunday school hour on June 17.

The Sunday school will hold its annual picnic on Saturday, June 23.

Taxes on Real Estate to Be Collected Within One Year of Assessment

A recent enactment of legislation has changed the laws in regard to taxation. Section 4 of chapter 128 amends Chapter 60 General laws and calls upon collectors to enforce payment of all real estate taxes within one year of October 1st, of the year of assessments. Chapter 128 was approved March 14th, 1923, without preamble, and will be in effect at ninety days from that date. It is evident that all taxes of years prior to 1923 will come within its provision. Taxes of years prior to 1922 will be more than over one year old at this time, and these of 1922 will be one year old October 1st, 1923.

Chapter 283 makes it incumbent upon the Tax Commissioner to report to the Attorney General all uncollected taxes that are two years old. Poll tax payers are allowed ninety days to pay without interest.

Install I. O. O. F. Secretary

Andover lodge, I. O. O. F. met Wednesday night in Odd Fellows hall and District Deputy Grand Master Fred McIntosh and suite of Wauwinet lodge, North Andover, installed Ira Buxton secretary in place of Walter Buxton, resigned.

Andover lodge and Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge will attend a memorial service for deceased members Sunday morning, June 17, at 10.30 at the Baptist church on invitation of Rev. C. Norman Bartlett, pastor.

Fire Alarms Tuesday

The department answered three alarms Tuesday for brush fires and a fire on the North Main street railroad bridge. The latter was a still alarm and little damage was done.

The other two, at 4:40 p.m. and 6:10 p.m., were both for brush fires on land of T. Dennie Thompson on Abbot street.

Weddings

McDUFFIE-SELDEN

Christ church was the scene of a very pretty June wedding, when at four o'clock, Saturday afternoon, Miss Katharine Elizabeth Selden, daughter of Mrs. George Selden of 42 School street, became the bride of Charles Dennett McDuffie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. McDuffie of 81 Summer street, Lawrence.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Charles W. Henry, rector of Christ church, assisted by Rev. C. Bertrand Bowser, rector of St. Augustine's church, Lawrence.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, James K. Selden, while her sister, Miss Marion A. Selden, was the maid of honor. The four bridesmaids included Miss Elizabeth Bartlett of Andover, Miss Janet McGregor of Haverhill, Miss Elizabeth Allen of New York, and Miss Helen Eddy of Syracuse, N. Y.

Miss Selden's wedding dress of white brocaded satin, was fashioned from the wedding dress worn by her mother. The train was of Spanish lace, and the tulle veil was caught with orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of swainsonia. The maid of honor wore lavender chiffon over blue chiffon and the bridesmaids gowns of orchid pink. Their hats were of white horsehair trimmed with tulle and flowers, and they carried garden bouquets of yellow gladioli, larkspur and marguerites.

Howard Clement McDuffie, the groom's brother, was best man. The ushers were Edward G. Selden and William Osgood of Andover, Arthur Sweeney of Lawrence, Edward Flanagan of New York, William Cummings of Boston and John Hurlburt of Lexington.

The church was decorated with white peonies, hydrangea, and spiraea, a cluster of spiraea and white sweet peas being placed at the head of each pew.

The musical program for the wedding was of unusual interest as presented by Gordon S. Brown, organist, who formerly was organist of Hereford Cathedral in England. His selections while the guests were assembling for the ceremony were "Pastorale," by Foote; "Allegretto," Guilmant; "Holworthy Church Bells," Wesley; "Largetto," Wesley; "Sunrise," Karg Elert and "Wedding Song," Burdett. For the entrance of the bride, Mr. Brown played the "Bridal Chorus" from Wagner's "Lohengrin" and for the departure of the bridal party from the church, Mendelssohn's "Wedding March."

After the ceremony, a reception was held in the garden of the Selden home, Mrs. George L. Selden and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. McDuffie assisting the bride and groom in receiving. After July 1, Mr. and Mrs. McDuffie will be at home at 65 Prospect street, Lawrence.

The bride is a graduate of Smith college, class of 1918, and has recently been studying landscape gardening. Mr. McDuffie is a Harvard man, class of 1916, and is now superintendent at the Everett mills, Lawrence.

HIGH — CUTLER

This afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents on Lowell street, Miss Dorothy Brown Cutler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Granville Keith Cutler, was married to Stanley H. High of University Place, Nebraska. The marriage ceremony was read by Rev. Newman Matthews, pastor of the West Parish church, and Rev. Frank A. High of University Place, Nebraska, father of the groom. The maid of honor was Miss Grace McK Potter of South Dartmouth, the college room-mate of the bride at Mt. Holyoke, and the best man B. Wesley Marsh of New York City, college room-mate of the groom at Nebraska Welseyan University. Ribbon bearers were Miss Priscilla and Miss Margaret Cutler, sisters of the bride, Miss Winona Boutwell of Andover and Miss Ruth French of Lowell. The bride was given in marriage by her father. The wedding was on the spacious sun-porch of the Cutler home.

The bride wore a gown of white organdy, trimmed with orange blossoms and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and gardenias. Her veil was also trimmed with orange blossoms. The maid of honor wore a gown of orchid organdy over silver cloth with taffeta trimmings and carried sweet peas.

Following the ceremony, refreshments were served to about one hundred and twenty-five guests, including many out-of-town friends of the bride and groom. The bride is a graduate of Mount Holyoke College, in the class of 1921; and of the Prince School of Education for Store Service, 1922. The groom is a graduate of Nebraska Wesleyan University, 1917, and Boston University School of Theology, 1923. He served during the World war as an aviator, and since has done considerable newspaper work both in Europe and the Far East. He is the author of two books on international problems and, at the present time, is on the editorial staff of the Christian Science Monitor. The couple left for Mount Holyoke, following the reception, where they will attend the commencement exercises at Mount Holyoke, and the first of next week will continue to San Francisco, stopping at University Place, Nebraska, to visit the parents of the groom, and with friends in Portland, Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. High will live in Boston.

Industrial Committee of Y. M. C. A. Entertains in Andover Home

A tea was tendered Saturday afternoon by the industrial committee of the Y. W. C. A. to Mrs. Ethel Halliwell, Mrs. Flora Galvin and Miss Mae Molloy, who are soon to leave for Bryn Mawr, Pa., to attend the summer school for girls in industry, at the home of Mrs. Herbert R. Fraser on Salem street. Mrs. Fraser is chairman of the industrial committee and the guests included Miss Fonnie Davis, President of the Y. W. C. A. board, and Miss Grace Williams, general secretary.

The three young women were recently chosen to fill the New England quota of 20 girls who will be among the 100 from the whole country to attend the school.

Makes New Record for Merrimack Course

Dave Hackney, the "pro" at the M. V. C. C. has been playing super-golf all spring, but this week he turned in his best performance. He played the 18 holes in 70 strokes, breaking the old record of 71 for the course made by Tom Dean, former "pro" when he shot 33 and 38 for a 71. Hackney, not alone cut one stroke off this figure, but he played two additional rounds of 37 and 38, giving him 145 strokes for the 36 holes, which is also a new record for the course.

Hackney was playing with Bert Dole, chairman of the tournament committee, and he was not playing such bad golf himself. He turned in a 75 for the 18 holes.

Hackney's card is as follows for the 18 holes:

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Miss Maria Fairweather of the Cross Coal office is enjoying a vacation at Wells Beach, Maine.

Remember the Rummage sale at the Knights of Columbus rooms tomorrow afternoon.

Wesley Gates of Gardner avenue, is visiting his uncle, C. R. Philbrick, at York Harbor, Maine.

A rummage sale will be held tomorrow, June 9, by Court St. Monica, Catholic Daughters of America, at the Knights of Columbus home, 53 Main street, between the hours of two and eight.

The G. W. P. R. club met at the home of Mrs. Helen A. Wright on Holt road, Tuesday afternoon. Five hundred postal cards are being sent to the Children's hospital in Brookline by Mrs. Wright, in the name of the club. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Thomas Platt on Bancroft road.

Daughters of the Revolution Are Entertained in Andover

The Phoebe Foxcroft Phillips Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, united with Mrs. Henry S. Jenkins in entertaining forty members of the Sarah Hull Chapter of Newton, at Mrs. Jenkins' home on Ballardvale road, on Wednesday of this week.

A delicious luncheon was served by the hostess at noon. An account of the old house where the guests were gathered, once the resting place of Acadians, was given by Mrs. Jenkins. Many articles of historic value owned by the hostess added greatly to the interest of the occasion.

Mrs. Charles E. Abbott read a paper on Madam Phillips for whom the local chapter is named, showing pictures of Madam Phillips, and also of the old Mansion House, which was her home. A letter written by her to her husband Judge Phillips in 1775, while he was a member of the Legislature was also read.

At the conclusion of the program, the guests drove about town to visit places of historic interest, including the missionary boulder, the Abbot tavern and the America house.

A visit to the rooms of the Andover historical society settled the friendly rivalry as to whether "America" was written in Andover or Newton. The autograph letter by Rev. S. F. Smith convinced the most skeptical members of the visiting chapter that Andover had undisputed claim to that honor.

The day was one of great interest to both the visitors and their hostesses.

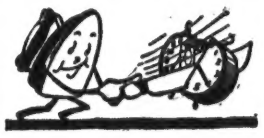
Birtns

May 26, 1923, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Pike of Lowell road.

June 3, 1923, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Doucette of County road.

June 5, 1923, at the Lawrence General Hospital, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford W. Dunnells of Main street.

June 6, 1923, a daughter, Constance Whittier, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Cole of High street.



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56 MAIN STREET

Sparks at Fire Station

The board of fire engineers met Monday night and unanimously appointed Kerr Sparks, driver and permanent man at the Central Fire Station to succeed the late John A. Collins.

Mr. Sparks has been connected with the department as call man for the past four years. He is a member of St. Matthews Lodge A.F. and A.M., Garfield Lodge K. of P. and Clan Johnstone 185 O.S.C. There were six applicants for the position. He begins his duties next Monday.

Money Not Available for Alfred Lincoln Prizes

Owing to litigation with regard to the will of the late Alfred Lincoln, no money from that source was this year available to award prizes at the annual Lincoln spelling match.

The money for prizes for the contests in the grades was contributed by the public school teachers. The prizes for the final contest were awarded from the Varnum Lincoln fund as usual.

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ABBOTT VILLAGE

Mrs. Robertson of Cuba street spent Sunday at Nahant Beach.

Edward Brown of Stevens street is confined to his home by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cairnie of Baker's lane spent Sunday at Nahant.

Mrs. Daniel Low of Beverly visited relatives in the Village Sunday.

Miss Martha Campbell of Cuba street visited friends in Boston at the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Valentine of Essex street spent Sunday at Salem Willows.

David Cargill of Stevens street has entered the Marland mills as night watchman.

Mrs. Joseph Black of Braintree visited the home of David Milne on Cuba street this week.

Miss Alice Eaton of Athol, spent a few days at the home of her father on Cuba street.

Mrs. Fred Brackett of Essex street is spending the week with friends in Nottingham, N. H.

David McFarlane has left the employ of the Smith & Dove company to enter the Marland mills.

Miss Margery Ruxton of Shawsheen road has left the employ of the Smith & Dove company.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Riley of Beverly visited at the home of Mr. Riley's mother on Essex street over the week-end.

Mrs. James Adams and family have returned to their home in Lynn after spending a few weeks at the home of relatives in town.

Wedding

KILLACKY — HACKNEY

A very pretty wedding was solemnized Wednesday evening, June 6, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hackney, 51 Red Spring road, when their daughter, Ivy Young, was married to George Isles Killacky, son of Mrs. John Killacky of Essex street.

The Rev. Frederick A. Wilson officiated. John Devine of Methuen was the best man and Helen L. Hackney, sister of the bride, was the bridesmaid. The parlor was prettily decorated for the occasion with pink and white streamers, and a large bell suspended under which the couple stood for the ceremony.

The bridegroom is well known in athletic circles as a baseball and soccer player. He is employed as a painter with James Holt of Cuba street. The bride is popular with the young folks of the town. She is a member of the Free church Margaret Slattery class and recently was picked as "Miss Andover" in a beauty contest held by a local organization. She was charmingly attired in white duchess satin and bride's veil trimmed with lilies of the valley. She carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses and lily of the valley. The bridesmaid was gowned in a dress of American beauty silk and carried American beauty roses. Mendelssohn's wedding march was played by Miss Eleanor Emmett.

After the ceremony, which was witnessed by relatives and friends, a supper was served by Caterer Weigel of Lawrence. The couple received many beautiful presents. At a late hour they left for Atlantic City where they will spend two weeks after which they will continue their honeymoon in New Jersey.

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WEST PARISH

Children's Sunday at the West church will be observed, Sunday, June 24.

The Boys' club met with Clarence Mooar on Wednesday evening. The attendance was good and a jolly evening was enjoyed.

The Christian Endeavor society will meet with Mrs. George M. Carter, High Plain road, on Sunday evening at seven-thirty o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Medwin Matthews and son of Clayton, New Jersey, are enjoying a short vacation at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Newman Matthews, Shawsheen road.

Andover Grange will hold a meeting on Tuesday evening. It will be agriculture night and two interesting discussions have been planned for the evening's program.

Mr. and Mrs. George Averill attended the reunion of the present Department and the former State Board of Agriculture at Greenfield on Thursday and Friday of this week. Thursday was devoted to business with a banquet in the evening and several interesting trips to interesting points nearby have been planned for Friday.

Obituaries

MARY A. (LYLE) RUSHWORTH

Mary A. Lyle, widow of the late William Rushworth, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Hicks of Shawsheen road, Tuesday evening, after a short illness.

She was born in Albany ,New York, October 27, 1849 and had lived for many years in West Parish.

Besides the daughter with whom she made her home, she is survived by one other daughter, Mrs. J. M. Rose of Walpole; one grandson, Herbert Rose; and one great-grandson, Albert Rose; one brother, G. C. Lyle of Malden; three nephews, and two nieces.

Burial was in Bellevue Cemetery, Lawrence, Rev. Newman Matthews of the West church officiating.

IDA F. SHAW

Mrs. Ida F. Shaw, widow of John Shaw, died very suddenly at her home, Blanchard street, Wednesday afternoon. She was born sixty-six years ago in Lexington, but has made her home in Andover for over forty years. She was much beloved by all who knew her, a neighbor in the larger meaning to all, a leader in all good work, one whom the community will sadly miss in many ways.

She is survived by four brothers, George and Daniel Harrington of Andover, Frank Harrington of Methuen, and Clarence Harrington of New Hampshire; one sister, Mrs. Quincy Foster of Lowell; two sons, Walter B. of Stoddard, New Hampshire, Arthur Willard of Methuen, two daughters, Mrs. May Harrington of Lowell and Mrs. Fred Snow of Andover; and thirteen grandchildren.

The funeral will be held at her late home, Saturday at two o'clock. Burial will be in the family lot, Spring Grove cemetery. Rev. Newman Matthews of the West church of which she has been a member for many years will officiate.

Dressed for the Occasion.

Ten thousand Chinese soldiers guarding Tachienlu, the pass to Tibet, are having their clothes sewed on their bodies. Garment after garment of heavily padded cotton is sewed into place on the body to remain undisturbed until the suns of summer return. The pass is the coldest place on the border.

Rich Silica Deposits.

Czecho-Slovakia possesses a deposit of silica mineral of volcanic origin which can be used directly in the manufacture of glass without adding any of the common ingredients used in making up the glass batch. This mineral resembles lava and the deposits are very large.

Student of His Own Time.

"Did you read Cicero's orations when you went to school?"

"No," replied Senator Sorghum. "I was afraid it would give me classical ideas that would spoil my form for the gatherings I addressed at the post office and general store."

BALLARDVALE

UNION CONGREGATIONAL

Rev. A. H. Fuller, Pastor

10.30. Worship with sermon by the pastor. Sunday School to follow.
6.15. Christian Endeavor.
7.30 Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL

Rev. Thomas E. Adams, Pastor

10.30. Worship with sermon by the pastor. Sunday School to follow.
7.00. Union service.
7.30 Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

Irving Moss spent Sunday in Methuen.

Arthyr Coates was a guest here on Sunday.

James Grimes of Somerville, spent Sunday here.

Ben Jacques spent Sunday at Salisbury beach.

Miss Helen Gardner was a guest here Saturday.

Mrs. James Strang of Malden was a guest here Sunday.

Ralph Harlow and daughter were guests here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ferris were guests here Sunday.

Miss Alice Coates of Boston spent the week-end here.

Miss Clara Shattuck spent Sunday visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Barcroft were guests here Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Cummings has returned to her home in Dorchester.

Timothy Donovan and family of Bradford, were guests here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pearson and family were visitors here Sunday.

The E. F. L. club held a picnic in Harwood Grove Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Donovan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John O'Donnell, Sunday.

The Epworth league of the M. E. church will meet in the church vestry this evening.

Miss Katherine O'Donnell will close her sanitarium the first of July for the month.

Howard Bottomley of Haverhill, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel H. Poor.

Mrs. E. W. Brown and son have returned from visiting relatives in Melrose Highlands.

Mrs. Richard York and baby have returned to their home from the O'Donnell sanitarium.

Saturday evening the Epworth League of the M. E. church will entertain the St. Mark's league.

Congregational church Ladies' Aid society met at the home of Mrs. Charles Davies on Thursday evening.

The installation of officers of the Epworth league of the Methodist church has been postponed for two weeks.

Special Children's day services will be held at both the Methodist and Congregational churches next Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. James Scholefield and Mr. and Mrs. Oldroyd and Mrs. Rose Lawton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Clark, Sunday.

Misses Doris and Merle Wilkinson and Bella Benson attended the excursion given by the Roosevelt lodge of Methuen to Salisbury beach on Saturday.

The many friends of Mrs. Susan Nichols will be pleased to know that she is doing finely after her recent operation. She is recuperating at the home of her niece in Andover.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Clayton of Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Higgins of Lynn, Mary and Charles Higgins, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Naydon of North Andover, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brigham of North Andover, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Moss, Sunday.

Abraham Lincoln chapter of X. B. K. met Tuesday evening in the Congregational church vestry. Plans were made for the baseball game to be played Saturday afternoon between the local chapter and the Lawrence Central Methodist church X. B. K. team.

Bradlee Mothers' club met in the kindergarten room at the Bradlee school at 2.30 p.m., Wednesday. The mothers entertained children of members; the children also gave an entertainment to the mothers. The following were the committee, Mrs. Louis Buck, Mrs. Freeman Abbott, Mrs. Timothy Haggerty, Mrs. William Clemons, Mrs. Curtis.

Willing Workers Elect Officers

The Willing Workers of the Methodist church held their monthly business meeting Monday evening in the vestry. The meeting was opened by singing the humn "Loyalty to Christ." Prayer was then offered by the pastor, Rev. Thomas E. Adams. The report of the secretary, Miss Florence Sanborn, was read and approved. The report of the treasurer, George Brown, was read and accepted, showing the organization to be in very good financial condition. The much-talked-of strawberry festival will be held in the near future. The date has not yet been set, but will be announced later in this column. Only members of the society and the church may attend this festival. Admission will be charged. All who are planning to attend are urged to give their names to the committee in charge so that definite plans may be made.

Three new members joined at this meeting: Mrs. George Moody, Mrs. Clifford Wrigley and Miss Rhohodenise.

The entertainment was given by the pastor, which consisted of several selections played by him on a harmonica and guitar.

Refreshments were served, consisting of cake and lemonade.

The officers and committees for the ensuing six months are as follows:

Officers: President, B. F. Nason; vice-president, George B. Brown; secretary, Mrs. Harry E. Wells; treasurer, to be assigned at next meeting.

Social committee: Mrs. May Nason, chairman; Mrs. Murphy, Mrs. Lila Davidson, Mrs. Ben Summers, Mrs. Samuel B. Moody, Mrs. James Moss, Mrs. Amanda Stevens and Mrs. Nelson Townsend.

Entertainment committee: Rev. Thomas E. Adams, chairman; Misses Florence Sanborn, Lillian Cramton, Edith Moss, Carl Wells and Edwin Brown.

Sick committee: Mrs. Thomas E. Adams, chairman; Mrs. George R. Moody, Mrs. Arthur White and Mrs. B. F. Nason.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Nason, Mrs. Samuel B. Moody, Mrs. Sarah Sleathe, Mrs. Arthur White, Mrs. Ben Summers, Mrs. Fred Shattuck, Mrs. Harry Nason, Rev. and Mrs. Thomas E. Adams, Mrs. James Moss, Mrs. Amanda Stevens, Mrs. Charles Higgins, Misses Jennie Hudson, Anita Wells, Lillian Cramton, Florence Sanborn, Edith Moss, Rose Rhohodenise, George Brown, Ed. W. Brown, Carl Wells, Irving Moss, George Lawrence, Frank Ryan, Morris Stevens, Charles Nason, Elwyn Russell, Omar Stevens, Irving Stevens, Albert Coates, Edwin Hasty, John Russell and Ernest Robison.

League Cabinet Meets

A cabinet meeting of the Merrimack Valley Circuit league was held Tuesday evening in the Methodist church vestry, with the president of the circuit, Thomas Gunter, presiding. Hymns were sung and prayer was offered by Rev. F. J. Andrews. Ralph Bake, fourth vice president, reported that all the leagues had been entertained. It was also reported that a fine time was had by cabinet officers at the banquet and picnic held at Parker River recently. Reports were given concerning the recent convention and of the excellent speakers.

Mr. Sawyer urged that all attend the institute to be held at Lasell and Tilton seminaries. He stated that it would be money and time well spent to attend, as it would be an inspiration to the young people. The institute at Tilton will begin on June 25. Plans were also made for the local league to entertain the Merrimack Valley Circuit league on June 18.

Mr. Searle of the St. Mark's Epworth league stated that on Sunday, the 17th, there would be a vesper service held at that church at 4:30 p.m., and invited members of the league to attend. Rev. Elmer Leslie will be the speaker. It was also decided that the installation of officers of the local league would be held Sunday, June 17, at 6:15 p.m. A social time was held and refreshments were served by the social committee.

Plans were also made to have a volley ball game at 7, on the evening of the Circuit League convention between the local league and a picked team from the circuit.

Lodge Names Committee

Ballardvale lodge No. 105, met on Monday evening, in Good Templar hall with Chief Templar Frances Benson presiding. Plans were made for the shield visitation with Roosevelt lodge, of Methuen, Thursday evening. Ballardvale lodge will furnish the entertainment.

Chief Templar Frances Besnon appointed the following on a standing committee for the ensuing quarter: Membership, David Wilkinson, Mrs. Benjamin Summers, Mrs. Frances Benson; good-of-the-order committee, Mrs. Daniel H. Poor, Bella Benson, Miss Doris Wilkinson, Mrs. Lizzie Barnes and Daniel H. Poor; care of the sick, Mrs. Daniel H. Poor, Mrs. Hammond, Mrs. Lizzie Barnes; finance committee, Miss Bella Benson, Miss Doris Wilkinson, Mrs. Lizzie Barnes; visiting committee, Daniel H. Poor, Mrs. Daniel H. Poor, Mrs. Frances H. Benson. Absent member committee all members of the lodge.

Plan Children's Day

Children's day will be observed at the Congregational church Sunday school. This will include the baptism of children and presentation of Bibles and a program by the Sunday school children. Rev. Augustus H. Fuller will speak to the Sunday school children.

A Bible has been sent to Richard Bradley Hodgkins of Phoenix, Arizona, who was a regular attendant of the Congregational Sunday school some time ago. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hodgkins.

Hold Quarterly Conference

The first quarterly conference of the Methodist church was held Sunday afternoon with Dr. James E. Coons in charge. It was opened with prayer. Treasurer J. W. Stark, Mrs. J. L. White, financial secretary, gave reports which were accepted. Reports on benevolences, Trustees reports were also given.

George Brown and Carl Wells were appointed to serve on the auditing committee. Mrs. J. L. White and Mrs. J. W. Stark were appointed a committee to look over church records. The report of the estimating committee was given.

Carl Wells, president of the Epworth league, gave a report concerning the league, stating that there are 28 members and also spoke of the different functions held by the league. Ben Nason, chairman of the social committee of the Willing Workers' society, reported a membership of 67. The organization is now doing fine work.

Carl Wells, president of the Willing Workers' society reported that the organization has repaired the parsonage, bought coal for the church, had held bakery sales, apron sales and a waist-line social, and are now planning to have a strawberry social.

George Brown gave the treasurer's report, which showed that the society is in good financial condition.

J. W. Stark, superintendent of the Sunday school reported that there are now 85 members of the Sunday school, 73 scholars and 12 teachers. The average attendance is 75 per cent. Rev. Thomas Adams gave his report stating that he had made 161 visits. The prayer meetings had been well attended with an average attendance of 20. He also stated that a cradle roll and home department is to be organized. Plans are now being made for Children's day. He also reported that a fine choir had been formed with a membership of twelve. In regard to the attendance he stated that as high as 98 people had been present at the services. He staed that a program had been made for the purpose of increasing the attendance.

Rev. Mr. Coons spoke of the Asbury Grove assembly program, and of the general conference that will be held next May in Springfield.

Visitors Defeat Locals

Monday evening the Smith & Dove volley ball team defeated the B. V. T. team on the M. E. church grounds. The visitors had the jump on the home boys and won the first game easily, but the B. V. T. T. boys played good ball in the last games.

The scores were Smith & Dove 15, B. V. T. T. 13; Smith & Dove 15, B. V. T. T. 13.

The following were on the Smith & Dove team: James W. Low, John McCrarey, Oscar Anderson, James Gorrie, W. Nicoll, Arthur Beer. The B. V. T. T.: Ed. Coffin, Ray Platt, Clarence McIntyre, C. Petty, James Mills, Louis Wrigley.

The game was not a league game but upon agreement these two teams planned to play twice with a total of six points.

Student of His Own Time.

"Did you read Cicero's orations when you went to school?"

"No," replied Senator Sorghum. "I was afraid it would give me classical ideas that would spoil my form for the gatherings I addressed at the post office and general store."

Great Scottish Night

Delegations from Clan Lindsay of North Cambridge, from Clan Stewart of Everett and Clan MacIntosh of Cambridge were guests last Friday evening of Clan Johnston of Andover.

The Royal Secretary, Thomas R. T. Gibbs of Boston and Royal Deputy Edward C. Emslie were specially invited guests, and during the course of the evening the Royal Secretary made a few remarks congratulating Clan Johnston on its work. During the business session the initiatory degree was worked on seven candidates by the degree team of Clan Lindsay. The work was done in Odd Fellows hall.

The meeting then adjourned to Garfield hall where a buffet lunch was served by Clan Johnston social committee, consisting of James Skea, Alexander Valentine, Robert Christie, John White, William Walker and Edward Downes.

Clan Lindsay were then given an hour in which to produce part of the evening's entertainment. Vocal selections were greatly enjoyed and applauded. Clan Johnston's part of the entertainment consisted of a combination orchestra and brass band, with William Walker at the piano and Chief Alfred Robb as conductor.

A drive for membership will be started soon and a committee was appointed to look after this. The committee consists of Past Chief John Elder, Chief Alfred Robb, Secretary Alexander Valentine, William MacDermitt, William Walker, John Garden.

The Clan Lindsay program:

THE CLAN LINDSAY PROGRAM

Original Poem—The Polmadie Laddie, dedicated to William Walker of Clan Johnston — Thomas Small

Duet—The Twins — Thomas Small, Wm. Clarkson

Selection—Annie Laurie — Glee Club

Solo—Hurrah for the Highlands — Mitchell Deverick

Song—Wanna Eata — A. F. Wright

Solo—In the Garden of My Heart — Edward Greaves

Trio—Comin' through the Rye—parody — T. Small, Wm. Clarkson, A. F. Wright

Cornet Solo—Afton Water — John Dalrymple

Solo—Only a Piece of Khaki — Wm. Clarkson

Trio—We're a' Scottish Here — Chief Murray, Past Chief Cameron, D. Simpson

Solo—Mary of Argyle — David Imlach

Selection—Pennsylvania — Glee Club

THE CLAN JOHNSTON PROGRAM

Selection—Potpourri of Airs — Robb's Quadrille Band

Song—You Tell Her I Stutter — James Morton

Solo—Hail Caledonia — R. Williams

Recitation—Granny's Laddie — George Fyffe

Solo—Gang Awa' Bonnie Lassie — John Garden

Song—Tomorrow — John White

Song—Caroline — George Page

Violin Solo—Scottish Melodies — Robert Williams

Weekly Intimations of the Curate — Robert Christie

Solo—Mississippi Shore — Alec Bertram

Solo—Hills of Alva — James Robb

Original Song—Jed Forest — David Robb

Black Prince Lodge Confers Rank of Knight

The rank team of Black Prince lodge, K. of P., made its annual visit to Garfield lodge on Tuesday night and conferred the rank of knight in a most exemplary manner. Thomas B. Gorrie, chancellor commander of Garfield lodge, presided at the business session and Past Chancellor Ryan of Dover, N. H., was a special guest and made a few timely remarks.

The rank was conferred in long form in Odd Fellows' hall before a large gathering of knights from the Lawrence and Methuen lodges.

The rank team which conferred the degree was in charge of Minot Kent, rank master, and gave a wonderful exhibition of floor work and was warmly commended by those present. Those who conferred the rank of knight were:

King, William Parker, P. C.; attendants, Fred Hilton, Albert Farnham; page, Levi Rothwell; herald, Harry Clark; senators, Harry Bunker, P. C.; B. W. Miller, P. C.; Walter W. Hayes, P. C., George W. Downs, P. C., Fred Gordon, P. C., Charles Adams, P. C.; Harold Siddell, P. C.; George Pearce, William Palmer, scribes; Thomas Hogarth, P. C.; and Richard Dart.

Guards: Fred Vatter, P. C.; Charles Todd, Joseph Harrison, A. W. McCabe, Harold Atkinson, George Weiland, George Castle, Jacob Caras, William Brown, George Whiten, P. C., Fred Towers, George Atkinson, P. C.; Harry Champion, Albert Crowther, A. W. Mulcahy, James Stewart.

Chancellor Commander, Benjamin Robinson, P. C.; vice-chancellor, Edgar G. Vose, P. C.; prelate, Charles W. McGuire, P. C., Kearsarge lodge: M. of W., John Nelson, P. C.; M. of A. George Wilton; I. G., Thomas Nelson, P. C.

William H. Howard, chancellor commander of Black Prince lodge, was a very efficient pianist.

After the work a social hour was enjoyed in Garfield hall and refreshments were served by the good-of-the-order committee, John Svenson, P. C., chairman; Thomas Neil, P. C., William Walker, Jesse West, W. A. Stevens, George A. Carter.

Two-Day Poultry School at Durham, N. H.

A number of poultrymen from Essex County are planning to attend the two-day poultry school to be held at the State College at Durham. A very elaborate program has been planned which includes lectures from such prominent poultry authorities as Professors Graham of Ontario, Halpin of Wisconsin, and Philips of Indiana. These three men have had long years' experinece with poultry and are well capable of giving suggestions that should be of great value ot the poultrymen. They will cover such important phases of the poultry business as feeding, management, and care of chickens.

Those poultrymen who can spare the time, if for only one day, will find it to their interest to go and listen to these men. There is also the opportunity too, of coming in personal contact with the leading practical poultrymen of eastern Massachusetts and New Hampshire.

Such a Perfect Little Lady.

One day a girl friend of mine stumbled and fell over a pair of large rubbers standing in the dark hall as she came in from the outside, which caused an angry outburst as follows: "Who's the d— idiot that left them in the middle of the floor, I'd like to know?"

Out of the parlor stepped their minister, saying. "I beg your pardon, so thoughtless of me."

He was calling on her folks, which, of course, she did not know. You can imagine how she felt, especially as she knew that he had always thought her such a perfect little lady.—Exchange.

Andover Girl Student at Lowthorpe School of Landscape Architecture

The twenty-second anniversary of the founding of the pioneer school of women landscape architects in this country will be celebrated Saturday, June 16. Mrs. Edward Gilchrist Low, president emeritus and founder of the Lowthorpe School of Landscape Architecture for Women, will be the guest of honor at the Founder's Day celebration at Groton. Mrs. Low in founding Lowthorpe in 1901 opened up to the women of the United States the profession of landscape architecture. Now a woman past eighty years of age, she has seen women landscape architects go out from Lowthorpe to design gardens and the grounds of beautiful estates throughout the country.

Mrs. Low is a great-granddaughter of Benjamin Bussey, who founded Bussey Institute, and who gave the land for the Arnold Arboretum in Boston. While English women had established schools for horticulture such as the famous one under the patronage of Mrs. Warwick, it was left for Mrs. Low to go a step further and open a school of landscape gardening for women. A school of horticulture and gardening for women was opened in 1895 near Berlin, Germany. This German school, like the English schools, did not include the creative work required at the first American school of landscape architecture for women.

The care of garden and greenhouse, the study of native trees and shrubs, free hand and mechanical drawing and lectures by specialists all lead up to the actual designing of gardens and the laying out of estates. The graduates for their theses draw original plans for gardens. This year's graduates are planning to enter the offices of landscape architects.

Massachusetts women have already acquired a prominent place in the profession of landscape architecture in this country.

Miss Helen Russell, 27 Windsor street, Worcester, Mass., is a member of the graduating class this year. Miss Florence Fletcher of Stow had just completed a special course at Lowthorpe. Miss Marjorie Stearns, daughter of Dr. Alfred E. Stearns of Chapel avenue, is another Massachusetts girl to take up a highly specialized work for women. She will be a junior next year.

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WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

To either of the Constables of the Town of Andover, GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet and assemble at the Town House, in said Andover, on Tuesday, the 12th day of June, 1923 at 8 o'clock p.m. to act on the following articles:

Article 1. — To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of Two hundred thirty thousand ($230,000.) dollars for the purpose of building a new school building in that part of Andover known as Shawsheen Village and of purchasing furnishings and original equipment therefor, and for the purpose of raising all or a portion of said sum will authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to prepare, issue and sell under authority of Chapter 272, Massachusetts Acts of 1923, bonds or notes outside the debt limit but otherwise subject to Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or take any action in relation thereto, on petition of the School Committee.

Article 2. — To see if the Town will appoint and authorize a Committee to procure plans and specifications, obtain bids, let contracts, and approve bills for building, purchasing the furnishings, and equipping the new schoolhouse mentioned in Article One, on petition of the School Committee.

Article 3. — To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to take in fee by eminent domain for school prposes, and award damage therefor, the land situated on Magnolia Avenue in Andover, and being lot numbered six (6) as shown on plan of land known as "Oakhurst Knolls," recorded in Essex North District Registry of Deeds, book 238, page 600, said lot being bounded Northerly by lot numbered 7, as shown on said plan, 80 feet; Easterly by Magnolia Avenue, as shown on said plan, 50 feet; Southerly by lot numbered 5, as shown on said plan, 80 feet; Westerly 50 feet as shown on said plan. Containing 4000 square feet of land; and to appropriate a sum not exceeding Seven hundred and fifty ($750.) dollars therefor, the same to be raised by taxation, on petition of the School Committee.

Article 4. — To see if the town will appropriate the sum of Nine thousand ($9000.) dollars for the purpose of reconstructing Haverhill Street from North Main Street to a point near the Boston & Maine Railroad Bridge, provided the State and County severally appropriate a like sum, on petition of the Board of Public Works.

Article 5. — To see if the town will appropriate the sum of Forty-five hundred ($4500.) dollars for putting in a new pumping unit at Haggetts Pond Station on recommendation of the Board of Public Works.

Article 6. — To see if the town will accept as a Town Way, as laid out by the Selectmen, a street running from a point on Chestnut Street northerly about 716 feet and 48 feet in width to a point on Summer Street in accordance with a plan on file, on petition of Llewellyn D. Pomeroy and others.

Article 7. — To see if the town will appropriate a sum not exceeding $2500.00 for the purpose of lowering the bed of Rogers Brook from a point near center of the Public Park, to the opening of culvert at east side of Bartlet Street and installing necessary pipes and retaining walls, and such other work in the deepening and widening of Rogers Brook as may be found necessary, said work to be under the supervision of the Board of Public Works, in cooperation with the abutting owners, on petition of W. Dudley Yates and others.

Article 8. — To see what action, if any, the town will take in regard to the collection and disposal of its garbage and ashes, on petition of the Board of Health.

Article 9. — To act on any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies and publication thereof, seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by the By-Laws of the town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon, at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this thirty-first day of May, A.D. 1923.

FRANK H. HARDY, CHARLES BOWMAN, ANDREW McTERNEN } Selectmen of Andover

A true copy,
Attest:

FRANK M. SMITH, Constable.

Andover, May 31st, 1923.

Andover 6, Holy Cross 3

The Phillips Andover baseball team, inspired by the track victory over Exeter, rode roughshod over the Holy Cross Freshmen in an abbreviated six-inning game at Brothers field by a score of 6 to 3. The game which started at 6 o'clock, was limited by agreement.

Home runs by Capt. Mumby and Prior, with Owl on base tied the score in the first inning after the Purple yearlings had scored three runs. Mumby's homer went to the flagpole in center and Prior's went almost to the same spot.

Fast fielding by Jones in the sixth, when he held Morrissey's long drive to the football bleachers to a triple, was a feature.

The score:

ANDOVER	ab	r	lb	po	a	e
Parisien, r.f.	3	1	1	1	0	0
Randall, 3b.	3	1	1	0	2	0
Owl, 2b.	3	2	2	1	2	0
Mumby, s.s.	3	1	1	2	3	0
Prior, c.	2	1	2	3	0	0
Hammond, l.b.	3	0	1	7	0	0
McClellan, l.f.	2	0	1	2	0	0
Jones, c.f.	2	0	0	2	0	0
Kern, p.	2	0	2	0	2	0
Totals	23	6	11	18	9	0
HOLY CROSS						
Tammian, s.s.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Early, 2b.	3	1	2	1	2	1
Maguire, 3b.	2	1	0	1	1	0
Morrissey, 1b.	3	1	2	5	1	0
McCloskey, c.f.	3	0	0	2	1	0
Butler, r.f.	1	0	0	1	0	0
Ryan, l.f.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Pesselano, c.	2	0	1	3	2	0
Ray, p.	2	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	21	3	6	15	7	1

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6
Andover	3	0	0	0	3	x—6
Holy Cross	3	0	0	0	0	0—3

Three-base hit, Morrissey. Home runs, Mumby, Prior. Double plays, Owl to Mumby to Hammond; Mumby to Hammond; McCloskey to Tammian. Struck out, by Kern 3, by Ray 2. Passed balls, Prior 2. Umpires, T. Duff and Oswald Tower. Time, 1 hour, 10 minutes.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

CANARIES for sale Prices reasonable. 34 Stevens St., Andover.

FOR SALE—Standing Grass. Inquire at 79 Elm Street. Tel. 181.

LOST—One Roman gold bar pin, two inches long, set with one large and two small topazes. Finder kindly return to office of Townsman and receive reward.

FOR SALE—Dodge sedan in excellent condition. Telephone 173 M or 138.

TO LET—Pleasant room at 21 Florence Street. Tel. 686 W.

WANTED—The J. R. Watkins Company will employ a lady or gentleman in Andover. A few other nearby cities also open. Watkins products are known everywhere and our salespeople make big incomes. Investigate this opportunity. Full particulars and valuable samples sent free to hustlers who mean business. Write today. The J. R. WATKINS COMPANY, Department 89, 64 Washington St., North, Boston, Mass.

WANTED—Woman for general housework. MRS. L. RYAN, Rocky Hill Rd., Andover.

WANTED—Modern Apartment wanted by young American couple. Centrally located in good neighborhood. Please call Andover 764-J.

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WANTED — Stall in private garage on or near Andover Hill. Call Andover 598W.

WANTED — Work. Will do general housework house, store or office cleaning. Inez E Thorn ing. 10½ Central street, Andover, Mass

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Harriet Louise Erving late of Andover in said County, singlewoman deceased:

WHEREAS, Abbott Erving executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lawrence in said County, on the eleventh day of June A.D., 1923 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman a newspaper published in Andover the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation, to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, HARRY R. DOW, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-second day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

HORACE H. ATHERTON, JR., *Register.*

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

SHERIFF'S SALE

ESSEX, ss. LAWRENCE, JUNE 2, A.D. 1923

Taken on Execution and will be sold by public auction to the highest bidder on Thursday the fifth day of July, A.D. 1923, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of Frank Marshall, Room 718 on the seventh floor of the Bay State, so-called, at the corner of Lawrence and Essex Streets in said Lawrence, all the right, title and interest which Harry R. Kelson, defendant, had on the third day of March, A.D. 1923, the day when the same was attached on Mesne Process in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon in that part of Andover called Ballardvale, the record or legal title now standing in the name of Clyde J. Frost, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the Northwesterly corner of the premises on the Easterly side of Andover Street by land of one Morin; thence Southerly by said Andover Street one hundred fifty-two and 5-10 feet to other land of said Clinton; thence easterly by other land of said Clinton one hundred seventeen feet to land of the Boston and Maine Railroad; thence Northerly by said land of the Boston and Maine Railroad one hundred fifty-six feet to land of said Morin; thence Westerly by land of said Morin seventy-seven feet to said Andover Street at the point of beginning. All the above measurements are more or less.

Terms Cash.

FRANK MARSHALL
Deputy Sheriff

Mothers' Club Elects Officers

The Andover Mothers' club and Parent-Teacher association held its last business meeting of the season on Wednesday afternoon, June 6.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, Mrs. Frank M. Foster; first vice president, Mrs. James Walker; second vice president, Mrs. Walter Buxton; secretary, Mrs. Marie H. Conkie; treasurer, Mrs. Otis Keith; directors, Mrs. Charlotte Collins, chairman, Mrs. B. Frank Hatch, Mrs. Fred Collins; sub-counselor, Mrs. James J. Feeney; auditor, Mrs. William Brown.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by Mrs. Feeney, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Buxton and Mrs. Keith.

On July 11, there will be an outing at the home of Mrs. Giliota of Methuen. Members will take the car leaving Andover at 1.30 for Lawrence.



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WISE MEN OFTEN FOOLED BY GIRLS

Recent Escanaba Fever Hoax Recalls Fasting Young Women Who Astonished Sages.

What, do you think, was the object of these girls in pulling the stunts they did?

New York.—Temperatures as high as 114 degrees Fahrenheit, registered with the aid of a hot-water bottle by Miss Evelyn Lyons, who fooled the doctors of her home town, Escanaba, Mich., for more than two weeks, are actually recorded sometimes in cases of sunstroke, according to local medical authorities, who explain that the patient always dies within four or five hours unless the temperature is reduced. Hysterical temperature or thermal ataxia, occasionally will run as high as 108 or 110 degrees without giving permanent injury, according to some medical textbooks.

The young woman of Escanaba was described as a "hysterical malingerer" by Dr. Morris Fishbein, editor of the Journal of the American Medical Association, who investigated her strange case and exposed her deception. It was found that Miss Lyons was running a slight temperature, due probably to injuries she is said to have received in an automobile accident. Miss Lyons' case suggests the cases of the "fasting girls"—found as far back as the Middle Ages—whose deceptions, usually the result of hysteria, convinced many learned men of their time that they were able, with the aid of some mysterious power, to live for long periods without eating.

Hysteria, in the opinion of many medical authorities, is certain to be accompanied by mental changes, in some cases disclosing only a lack of balance and will power, the partial loss of memory, or in other cases recurring melancholy, sudden emotional outbursts, loss of judgment and disregard of truth. One of the marked symptoms of the affliction is a craving for sympathy.

The last two symptoms were the basis for the strange actions of the "fasting girls" and self-mutilating martyrs, as well as of persons who sometimes pretended they were suffering from paralysis, tumor, stone in the bladder, and who often were eager to submit to surgical operations.

The story of a nun at Leicester who was said to have taken no nourishment for seven years, yet preserved her strength and health, attracted the attention of Hugh, bishop of Lincoln in 1225. He assigned 15 clerks to observe the subject without relaxing their vigil. When the clerks reported to the bishop that they had followed his instructions and had found that the nun took no food, the bishop said he was convinced of the genuineness of the nun's claims.

Grew Without Eating.

One of the most striking cases in the early part of the modern era was that of Margaret Weiss, a girl of ten years who lived at Rode, a small town near Spires. A history of the case of the little girl was left by Geraldus Bucoldianus, whose patient she was. The girl was said to have taken no food or drink for three years, during which time she continued to grow, to walk about, laugh and enjoy herself like other normal children of her own age. She was said to have suffered greatly from hysteria during the first year.

The child played her part so well that she was sent home to her friends by order of the king after she had been watched persistently and declared to be no dissimulator by Doctor Bucoldianus and the parish priest.

"Doctor Bucoldianus appears to have been somewhat staggered," says Dr. William A. Hammond in his book on "Fasting Girls," for he asks very pertinently: "Whence comes the animal heat, since she neither eats nor drinks, and why does the body grow when nothing goes into it?"

Symptoms of the "fasting girls" varied, and there were some who were reported to have been marked in a miraculous manner with the wounds received by Christ at Crucifixion. One of the most recent cases of abstinence from food with stigmitization was reported widely about six months ago in some of the newspapers of New York city.

While temperatures fluctuate widely in the case of women who are afflicted with hysteria, the highest temperatures usually found are accompaniments of inflammatory rheumatism and malarial fever, in addition to sunstroke. The limit of human endurance is usually reached when the temperature reaches 106 or 107 degrees and stays there for any length of time, according to Dr. Samuel W. Lambert, who has served as attending physician at some of the leading hospitals of New York, and as professor of therapeutics and dean of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Columbia university.

Doctor Lambert believed the case of the Escanaba girl fraudulent when it was brought to his attention three days before Miss Lyons was exposed.

Guessed the Reason.

"A hot-water bag in the bed will often send the thermometer up," was the first observation on her case made by Doctor Lambert, who added: "The temperature will go to 114 degrees in cases of sunstroke, but the patient will die within a few hours unless the temperature is reduced.

"I have seen temperatures rise to 110 degrees in cases of inflammatory rheumatism, but the patient always died. In cases of that kind the temperature rises very suddenly and death quickly follows. Temperatures will run as high as 107 degrees in cases of malarial fever, but they come right down again. Otherwise the issue is fatal."

The mean average temperature of man is 98.4 degrees by mouth. His temperature is marked by daily variations, the lowest point usually being reached from two to four o'clock in the morning and the highest after eating. The normal range is less than 2 degrees. Death usually follows temperatures below 80 degrees and above 106, but variations from 75 degrees to 112 have been recorded where the patients survived.

Compared with the mean average temperature of 98.4 degrees in man some of the lower animals show markedly higher temperatures. The sparrow, for instance, has a temperature of 110. The temperature of the horse varies from 99 to 100 degrees, the ox 100 to 101, the cow 101 to 102, sheep 104 to 105, the dog 100 to 101, the cat 100, the pig 101 to 103, the rabbit 101 to 107, and the duck-bill platypus 76 degrees. The hen has a temperature of 106 to 109 and the duck 107 to 110.

Of diseases in general fever is one of the most common accompaniments. Temperatures in excess of normal are largely caused by toxic poisoning, although in some cases fever is caused by nervous shock. In children's diseases high temperatures may develop suddenly and subside rapidly. In typhoid fever, for many years one of the most dreaded diseases, the temperature at first registers from 104 to 105 in the evening and 103 to 104 in the morning. In he second and third weeks the daily range is comparatively small.

Moscow Shows Bogus Prosperity to Aliens

Moscow. — Surface comfort which Moscow now shows to foreign visitors and the prosperity which her native profiteers enjoy are not reflected in the lives of workingmen and the other native residents who make up the bulk of her population.

All are living better than last year, but recent statistics of workmen's districts show deplorable conditions. Instead of the approximately 15 square yards of living space which is the legal allotment for each person, many workingmen's families average only one and a half square yards of living space for each person. Many have to sleep in relays on the basis of one bed for four persons.

In one children's home 80 per cent of the inmates have lived so long on a scanty diet that they have utterly forgotten even the taste of milk, meat and fats. In one district a survey of these homes showed 85 per cent of the children suffering from tuberculosis, or predisposed to that malady, because of undernourishment and overcrowding.

Woman at Age of 80 Has Jet Black Hair

Philadelphia. — Children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren — 171 persons in all—were gathered about Mrs. Mary A. Santmyers of 1806 West Columbus avenue, when she observed her eightieth birthday. Mrs. Santmyers was born in Frederick, Md., on December 9, 1842, was married at the age of sixteen and came to this city two years ago. She had 14 children, all living.

Mrs. Santmyers, who appears to be much younger than eighty, still has jet black hair.

Half Soles Cost 10,000 Marks in Germany

Berlin.—It costs 10,000 marks to many now because of the extremely have soles nailed on shoes in German price of leather. This is about half the monthly salary of the average domestic servant. Consequently it is frequently part of the agreement with servants that shoe soles are to be supplied by their employers.

Horse Kisser Fined.

New York.—Accused of kissing a horse which he had led up on the sidewalk in front of 121 Bowery, James Ryan, thirty-five years old, of 135 East Sixteenth street, was arraigned in night court here, charged with disorderly conduct and was fined $5 by Magistrate Ellperin.

"Did the horse like the embrace?" asked the magistrate.

"Well, your honor," said Patrolman Wandling, "the horse said 'neigh, neigh,' and I arrested Ryan." The prisoner described himself as "a great lover of horses."

Kansas First Woman Jury Frees Prisoner

The first all-woman jury in Kansas acquitted James Cecil, of Cimarron, charged with having intoxicating liquor in his possession. The jury was out seven hours, and 12 Cimarron men had to get their own suppers while their wives debated whether Cecil's car contained a jug of rum or vinegar. They finally decided that it held vinegar.

Three Records Broken

Phillips Andover academy defeated Phillips Exeter academy, 68 to 58 in the 29th annual dual track meet held on the Phillips Oval last Saturday afternoon. Andover excelled in the field events while Exeter's athletes showed up well in the running and hurdle events.

Three records were broken: Roy E. Slagle, pole vault, 11 ft. 8½ in., William Healey, javelin throw, 172 ft. 3 in., and R. H. McAnulty, discus throw, 120 ft. 1½ in. Capt. Walter P. Bradley, who was second, went 118 ft. 6 in., which is a new Andover record.

The Blue presented a more evenly balanced team than Exeter and as a result, Coach Shepard's charges were able to acquire points in field events that offset Exeter's strength in the running events. Exeter had a chance of winning the meet until the next to last event when W. P. Bradley of Andover and C. G. B. Murphy of Andover placed second and third respectively in the shotput, giving Andover the meet.

Geofirey Glendinning of Lawrence, competing for Andover, won first in the broad jump with a leap of 22 ft. 5 in., and he placed third in the 100-yard dash.

The old record in the pole vault was held by C. D. Wright of Andover and was established last year when he cleared the bar at 11 ft. 7 in. Healey broke his own mark which he set the previous week in the Dartmouth Fresh meet. In that meet he broke Allen's old record.

The summary:

Hammer throw — A. D. Kern (Andover) first, 151 ft. 11 in.; W. P. Bradley (Andover) second, 150 ft. 10 in.; McAnulty (Exeter), third, 149 ft. 11 in.

120-yard hurdles — Joseph Vilas (Exeter) first; Charles Elliott (Exeter) second; Worthen Paxton (Andover) third. Time: 16 4-5s.

100-yard dash — Carl G. T. Lundell (Exeter) first; Charles Borah (Andover) second; Geoffrey Glendinning (Andover) third. Time: 10 2-5s.

Javelin throw — William Healey (Andover) first, 172 ft. 3 in.; Charles B. G. Murphy (Andover) second, 147 ft. 4½ in.; Tsen (Andover) third, 138 ft. 11 in.

Mile run — Macauley Smith (Andover) first; J. R. Pitman (Exeter) second; Eddie Chute (Andover) third. Time: 4m. 37s.

Pole vault — Slagle (Andover) first, 11 ft. 8½ in.; Clarke (Exeter) and Toner (Andover) tied for second, 11 ft.

440-yard run — A. H. O'Neil (Exeter) first; Allen (Andover) second; M. Posey (Andover) third. Time: 51s.

Discus throw — Richard McAnulty (Exeter) first, 120 ft. 6½ in.; Walter P. Bradley (Andover) second, 118 ft. 6½ in.; J. A. Brandenburg (Exeter) third, 116 ft. 3 in. (new record.)

Broad jump — Geofrey Glendinning (Andover) first, 22 ft. 5 in.; H. W. Wright (Exeter), second, 22 ft. 2 in.; J. A. Brandenburg (Exeter) third, 21 ft. 1½ in.

High jump — Larsen, Hammond and Edwards (Andover), all tied at 5 ft. 7 in.

220-yard dash — Carl G. T. Lundell (Exeter), first; Charles E. Borah (Andover) second; W. E. Hutcheson, (Andover) third. Time: 22 3-5s.

220-yard hurdles — Charles T. Elliott (Exeter) first; Joe Vilas (Exeter) second; Worthen Paxton (Andover) third. Time: 26 1-5s.

Shot-put — Tom Driscoll (Exeter) first, 46 ft. 6 in.; W. P. Bradley (Andover) second, 45 ft. 9 in.; C. B. G. Murphy (Andover) third, 43 ft. 7 in.

880-yard run — A. H. O'Neil (Exeter) first; S. L. Multer (Andover) second; J. E. Gore (Exeter) third. Time: 1m. 58 3-5s.

The officials were: Referee, E. J. Fard, Lawrence; starter, R. H. Fox, Lawrence; clerk of course, W. M. Sides, Andover; judges at finish, John Mack, Yale; William Martin, Harvard; Frank Kanaly, M. I. T. Timers, F. M. Boyce, Andover; Dr. P. S. Page, Andover; W. Segerblom, Exeter; judges of high jump, J. S. Ford, Exeter; D. Crawford, Andover; judges of broad jump, H. C. Blake, Exeter; J. W. Williams, Andover; judge of pole vault, F. R. Whitman, Exeter; O. Tower, Andover; judges of hammer throw, M. C. Williams, Exeter; L. C. Newton, Andover; judge of shot-put, W. W. Holm, Exeter, G. W. Himman, Andover; judges of javelin throw, G. L. Richardson, Exeter, R. Dake, Andover; judges of discus throw, G. W. Pearson, Exeter, F. M. Benton, Andover; inspectors, H. M. Shute, Exeter; F. J. Daly, Andover, O. Tower Andover, C. W. Henry, Andover.

Assistant track managers, H. Burnell, Exeter, R. R. Layton, Jr., Andover, M. H. Reed, Jr., Andover, Kimball, Exeter, J. Ham, Exeter and J. Hume, Exeter; announcer, H. Stearns, Andover; assistant announcers, F. O. Newman, Andover, F. W. Newman, Andover; assistant clerk of course, L. S. Brayton, Andover; W. E. Curtis, Andover, H. G. Remington, Andover; custodian of prizes, Richard Dana, Andover; scorers, J. Gould Bruce, Andover; A. Cook Blanchard, Andover.

Division of points:

Events	A	E
Hammer	8	1
120-yard hurdles	1	8
100-yard dash	4	5
Javelin throw	9	0
Mile run	6	3
Pole vault	7	2
440-yard run	4	5
Discus throw	3	6
Broad jump	5	4
High jump	9	0
220-yard dash	4	5
220-yard hurdles	1	8
Shot-put	4	5
880-yard run	3	6
Totals	68	58

A rousing celebration was held in the evening, with a torchlight parade of the whole school headed by a band and a bus containing the victorious team. The procession marched around the Abbot circle, and visited Andover square where a stop was made for songs and cheers. Faculty houses were visited where congratulatory speeches were made by Principal Stearns and other instructors. The celebration concluded with a bonfire.

Fire Destroys Camp at Foster's Pond

Monday noon the department was called to Foster's pond for a fire which destroyed the summer camp of Bowman C. Ellis of Wakefield. The fire was discovered by fishermen on the opposite side of the pond, who rowed across and gave the alarm. The camp was all ablaze when the alarm was given and practically consumed when the apparatus arrived.

The fire spread to the underbrush and the firemen had a fight to prevent the flames from spreading. The loss is estimated at $2000. There was no one in the camp at the time and the cause of the fire is unknown.

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Soccer Gossip

The State Cup semi-final between Fore River and Holyoke will be played on Saturday at Balmoral Field and will, no doubt, be the big feature attraction for the soccer fans in this section. Practically speaking, the soccer season should be all over at this time of the year, but owing to the very severe winter that has just passed, the various leagues and clubs have been up against it in trying to complete their schedules; however, the United States Football Association has extended the playing season this time until July 26.

The coming struggle in the State-Cup series is one of importance and as much is at stake for the participating clubs and players concerned, there is much to become enthusiastic over and both teams will be represented at full strength for the coming tilt at Balmoral field.

The new State-wide soccer league that is being formed will hold a meeting at the Franklin House Saturday evening at 7.00, and all clubs desirous of making application to this new league must have their applications in on or before June 9.

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Lawrence Caledonian Club to Have Picnic at Shawsheen

The Caledonian club of Lawrence will hold their annual picnic at Shawsheen Village on Balmoral field, Saturday, July 28. Extensive plans are being made for the affair and it is expected to exceed anything ever before held by the organization.

Foremost in the day's program will be the several sporting events arranged and of special interest will be the typical Scottish dancing and musical contests. Some of the features of the program are soccer, 50-yard dash, 100-yard dash, half-mile run, quoiting, Highland dancing competition, bag-pipe contest.

The committee in charge of the picnic includes: John T. McLaren, chairman; James McGhee, John Macbeth, John Pringle, John Gledhill, Henry Black, Harry Nesmith, William Thompson, Aram Murray.

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New Building With Frontage of Two Hundred Feet on Main Street to Contain Offices and Stores

The excavation for the new office building at Windsor and North Main streets is nearly completed and construction of the foundation will begin at once.

This building is to be 200 feet long by 50 feet wide and the first floor is to contain stores and the second floor will be given over to offices.

The building is of the same type of architecture as the other public buildings of the Village and is designed by Clifford Allbright of Boston, an architect who has designed many of the houses of the community. It is being constructed by Chester Patten of Melrose who built the Post-office building, Balmoral Spa and the Administration building.

Sunday School Picnic

The Shawsheen Village Sunday School Annual Picnic will be held Saturday, June 23, at Canobie Lake park. Parents who desire to attend may do so and all children are requested to bring their lunches. Electric cars will be provided for those not having automobiles. It will be very much appreciated if those who have automobiles and can donate the use of them will do so, and they are asked to get in touch with Dr. Nathaniel Stowers of Windsor street.

There will be a baseball game, track sports, etc., and suitable prizes will be awarded the winners. All the children of the Shawsheen Village Sunday-school are cordially invited to attend.

DEAR TO HEART OF INDIAN

Horses and Calico Always Among the Gifts Exchanged After Ceremonial Visit Is Over.

Horses are always considered among Indians the very finest present that can be given, and following a visit of one tribe to another, as the homeward trek is in progress, each Indian family will have several leading behind, presents from their late hosts. The Poncas, Otoes, Pawnees, Cheyennes and several other of the plains tribes, use a spring wagon and a team with which to travel about the country, and in the warmer months of the year it is not unusual to encounter long strings of these going on a visit to some other tribe.

Bolts of gaily colored calico constitute the popular gift, whenever an entertainment of any kind is being given the Indian by white persons. It matters not what the other presents may be, there are always many bolts of calico, and these are always gratefully received and appreciated.

It has been the custom of many of the tribes for centuries for the squaws to carry their papooses on their back, with the babies strapped to boards and then placed upright over the women's shoulders. Calico is always wrapped around boards which happen to be about the right length for papoose carriers. In the old days when the traders bartered bolts of calico for pelts the squaws immediately grabbed these boards on which the cloth was bound, for their infants, and this custom is followed to the present day. In fact, the squaws visit the merchants in Ponca City and other towns where the Indians trade, and have all of the boards saved for this particular purpose.

WOULD CHANGE THE WORLD

Chemist's Assertion That He Can Obtain Hydrogen From Water Is Most Important.

Germans have dreamed a lot of things, or have been reported as dreaming a lot of things in chemical discovery since the war ended. If a Munich chemist has found a way of getting cheap hydrogen from water, and has patented it, his patent might be said to be worth enough to pay all Germany's reparations.

This is chemistry's crock of gold. All around us is water in unlimited supply. Two-thirds of that water is the hottest burning gas we know of. Professor Einstein is right in asserting that fuel conditions the world over would be revolutionized if water could be inexpensively transmuted into its oxygen and hydrogen.

We spend immense sums for coal, anthracite and bituminous, dug out of deep mines by strenuous toil, carried at large expense in railroad cars to our cities, trucked to our individual coal bins with more expense. Hydrogen gas would do its work better in every way, both for factory and home use. And instead of working to exhaust a fixed supply, already estimated, we should take nothing from nature that would not be restored. The hydrogen, burning, would not cease to be hydrogen. It would precipitate itself when recombined with oxygen and become water again without man's assistance.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Everybody Glad.

A long-winded inquirer for Frank Henley, adjutant of the Indiana department of the American Legion, had been talking to one of the attaches of the department for about ten minutes, despite the fact she was trying to get rid of him all that time. He kept repeating:

"I'm glad I called, anyway, I got to talk to you."

Finally the young woman at the telephone, in a tone meant to be frigid and crushing, said:

"I'm glad you're glad you called," and slammed the receiver down with a bang.—Indianapolis News.

PERSONALS

Percy Holt of Dumbarton street has purchased a new Chevrolet touring car.

E. C. Williams, manager of the Shawsheen Dairy spent the week-end at his home in Willimantic, Conn.

Frank V. Driscoll of the Main Office of the American Woolen, and his family have moved to 20 Arundel stret.

Miss Mabel Walker of North Main street has been chosen to represent the Free church at Camp Andover during the summer.

William Fleming of Haverhill street was a member of the committee for the St. John's club dancing party held on Monday evening at Canobie Lake, N. H.

George H. Winslow, F. H. Hardy, L. D. Sherman and C. B. Robbins spent the week-end fishing on the Connecticut Lakes in northern New Hampshire.

The bathing pool at Shawsheen Village has been opened and during the past week has been the source of much pleasure and a relief from the excessive heat for the children of the Village.

Two new houses are in the course of construction on the Boardman property on Haverhill street recently purchased by the American Woolen Company. Both houses are of Colonial design, one being a six-room house and the other an eight-room house.

Miss Irma Coolidge of Haverhill street and Miss Virginia Remington of Argyle street attended the meeting of the Campfire Girls of Camp Witchitee, of Lake Sebec, held in Brookline on Saturday. The girls also went on a bird walk to Spot Pond. Both Miss Coolidge and Miss Remington leave for Camp Witchitee on July 1, for the remainder of the summer.

Brush Shop Forfeits to Wood Mill In Inter-Mill Baseball League

The Shawsheen Brush Shop was scheduled to play the Wood Mill nine on Balmoral playing field on last Saturday in the Inter-Mill baseball league, but the Brush Shop forfeited. The series is being played to determine the championship for the cup now held by the Manton Mills, of Providence, R. I.

The Brush Shop was unable to put their nine in the field owig to the fact that they were engaged in overtime work and forfeited the game to the Wood Mill 9-0.

The Ayer Mill defeated the National & Providence team of Providence and this places the Ayer and Wood in the second round of the series.

Threw Girls Into Panic.

One girl swooned and several others, panic-stricken, rushed for exits when a noise which sounded to them like a "message from the dead" penetrated the stillness of the county morgue in Detroit.

The incident occurred when a party of 20 students from the Detroit Teachers' college was being shown the routine of the morgue.

A low whistle, somewhat similar to a breathing noise, came just as the morgue attendant was explaining how the morgue functioned. Skirts were grasped and amid shrieks the fair visitors dashed out of the place, one fainting on the way. The noise, it was later developed, was caused by some one blowing an old-fashioned speaking tube connecting the chambers and the office in an effort to get in communication with the morgue attendant.

The Logical Sex.

In the light of the fireplace sat the occasional philosopher, comfortably puffing his pipe as he surveyed as fine an audience as ever a man is blessed with. In another great leather chair lounged his most sympathetic friend. Curled like a kitten on the divan was his admiring wife.

"One cannot say," he continued, "that either men's or women's minds are inferior or superior, but undoubtedly they are different. For instance, it occurs to me, a trait of the feminine mind is that it cannot keep a discussion on an impersonal basis."

The "kitten" uncurled with a snap. "John, dear, you know that isn't true. I never make a conversation personal."

Forest Land Unprotected.

Approximately 166,000,000 acres of privately owned forest land are wholly unprotected from fire, says the forest service, United States Department of Agriculture. On many other areas the protection is incomplete and inadequate. Based on a six-year average, the annual loss of property from forest fires is $16,424,000. Yet a yearly expenditure of $0,263,000 would fairly protect all the privately owned timber lands in the United States.

Tornado's Freaks.

A tornado swept our section of the country one night. Just imagine our amazement upon waking from our peaceful slumber to find straws from a nearby straw stack driven like nails into the sides of a new barn. Our galvanized watering tank, which was 30 feet long and 15 feet wide, which had been set into the ground one foot and was half full of water, had been carried one-fourth of a mile and dropped.—Chicago Journal.

Choice Cargo Reaches Liverpool.

Apples, pears, beans, poultry, oysters, frozen meat, bacon, flour and bars for copper-making helped to make up the 10,000-ton miscellaneous cargo of an Atlantic liner which recently reached Liverpool from New York.—London Answers.

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PLAYERS EVENLY MATCHED

Shawsheen Leads in Inter-Club Tennis League by One Point—Games Are Closely Contested

Matches in the Inter-Club Tennis League were played on Monday evening at Shawsheen Village and North Andover. Shawsheen met the Canoe Club and North Andover met the M. V. C. C. Shawsheen was defeated 3 to 1 and the M. V. C. C. and North Andover split the points 2 to 2. In both contests one match had to be called off because of darkness and will be played off sometime during the week.

Every match completed in the clash between the Canoe club and Shawsheen went to three sets so evenly matched were the players and in every instance the player who lost the first set won the next two and the match. In both contests some fine tennis was seen and the matches were hard fought.

Neilson of the Canoe club and McGrath of Shawsheen had a particularly spirited battle, the Canoe club player losing the first set after a game fight, 4-6. The next set was a seesaw and many of the games went to deuce several times before they were decided. Neilson finally took the set 6-4. McGrath showed some of his best tennis of the day in the third set, driving hard and deep and covering the court in splendid shape, but Neilson kept pace with him and after a hard grind, worked the score to 4-2 in his favor. McGrath fought gamely and by clever driving tied the score at 4-all. Neilson was going strong all the time and was not to be denied, winning the next game by excellent place shots. He forced the play in the next game and was three times within a point of the set and match but McGrath fought desperately and succeeded in bringing the score to deuce. The play was particularly fast at this point as the winning of the two points meant victory for the Canoe club player or possible defeat if the games should be tied at 5-all. Both players had the vantage point several times only to lose the next but finally Neilson won two points in succession, taking the set and match, McGrath netting the ball for the loss of the last point.

Paine of Shawsheen and Ford of the Canoe club were evenly matched and gave a clever exhibition of singles play. Although both weakened at times the playing throughout most of the match was fast, both showing good generalship and excellent control of strokes. Paine played the steadier game and came through with a victory but there was no certainty that he would win until the last points were decided. Ford took the first set 8-6 after a hard battle and held the lead in the second set for a time, but Paine's work improved as the set progressed and with the aid of his opponent's errors and his own placing he finally took the set 6-4. A number of long drawn out deuce games were played in the third set, the advantage swinging first to Paine and then to Ford. With the score 4-all Ford got a good start in the ninth game and appeared to have the game in hand, but Paine finally brought the score to deuce and then captured it. The last game furnished some of the best tennis of the match, both fighting hard for every point. Paine eventually won the game 6-4 and this gave him the match.

Harry Pratt of Shawsheen and Byron Cleveland of the Canoe club had a spirited battle, Cleveland losing the first set, but winning the next two and the match. Pratt showed much of his old-time skill in placing, cutting, and court-covering but Cleveland was able to solve his style after the first set and meet it successfully, though many of the games were close and exciting. There was plenty of good tennis on both sides of the net.

Frye and Higgins of Shawsheen were beaten by Cleveland and Hart of the Canoe club in a cleverly played doubles match, but it took three sets to do it, they losing the first set before they learned how to stop their speedy opponents, Higgins' strong service bewildering his opponents. They secured an early advantage in the second set, however, and were never headed. In the third set it was nip and tuck throughout and the decision wes in doubt till the final points were decided. The growing dusk bothered all the players and the play was not so fast as in the earlier sets.

The second doubles match between Ford and Neilson of the Canoe club and McGrath and Paine of Shawsheen was not completed, and will be played off some evening this week. McGrath and Paine won the first set 6-1 and the score in the second set was 5-all when play ended because of darkness. The second set will be replayed and if it is won by Shawsheen it will give them an extra point, but if the Canoe club wins, a third set will be necessary to decide the point, the winner of the third set taking the match and the point that goes with it.

The veteran, Edward Curley, came through with the only victory in singles won by the North Andover club in its contest with the Merrimack Valley Country club players on the North Andover courts, defeating Howe of the Country club in straight sets, 6-3, 6-3.

Allison Stone of the Country club defeated Bannon 6-4, 6-4 in a good contest, many of the games being closely fought.

Dr. Sawyer of the Country club won another singles victory for his club by defeating A. L. Skinner of North Andover in straight sets 6-4, 8-6. As the score shows, the last set was hard fought.

Darkness prevented the completion of the doubles match with the Country club leading by one set.

The summary:

SHAWSHEEN VS CANOE CLUB
SINGLES

Neilson, Canoe club, defeaged McGrath, Shawsheen, 4-6, 6-4, 6-4.

Cleveland, Canoe club, defeated Pratt, Shawsheen, 2-6, 6-3, 6-1.

Paine, Shawsheen, defeated Ford, Canoe club, 6-8, 6-4, 6-4.

DOUBLES

Cleveland and Hart, Canoe club, defeated Frye and Higgins, Shawsheen, 4-6, 6-3, 6-4.

McGrath and Paine, Shawsheen, defeated Ford and Neilson, Canoe club, in one set 6-1—match incomplete, the second set being stopped on account of darkness with the games 5-all.

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COUNTR CLUB VS NORTH ANDOVER CLUB
SINGLES

Sawyer, Country club, defeated Skinner, North Andover, 6-4, 8-6.

Stone, Country club, defeated Bannon, North Andover, 6-4, 6-4.

Curley, North Andover, defeated Howe, Country club, 6-3, 6-3.

DOUBLES

Eichler and Howe, Country club beat Curley and Baldwin, North Andover, 6-4,—match incomplete, the second set being stopped on account of darkness with the score 6-5 in favor of the North Andover club.

The Country club defaulted to North Andover in the second doubles match, not having its team on hand.

The standing to date:

TEAM	W	L.	PCT.
Shawsheen	6	3	.667
Canoe Club	5	4	.556
No. Andover	5	4	.556
M. V. C. C.	2	7	.222

The next matches will be played on Monday evening, June 11, North Andover at Shawsheen, Canoe Club at the Country club.

Sunday School Season Ends

On next Sunday, June 9, the Sunday-school term will come to an end after a most successful season. Services will be held at 9.30 as usual in Post-office hall and at that time the superintendent and teachers will attempt to show the year's work. A short address will be given by Rev. C. W. Henry and prizes will be awarded to those who have made a record in attendance, home study, deportment, etc. The parents and friends of the children are cordially invited to attend the closing exercises.

Boy Scouts

The Shawsheen Village Boy Scouts met on Friday evening at the Boy's club on Haverhill street, and as there were not enough present to hold a drill, scout games were played.

At the meeting on Monday evening it was announced that Pendleton, Morrissey, Grover and Lamont were the first four to pass the second-class test.

S. D. G. Meets

The S. D. G. Sewing club met on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harry M. Hill, Carisbrooke street. Luncheon was served by the hostess. Those present were Mrs. Arthur Ryder, Mrs. Harry M. Hill, Mrs. Fred Blanchard, Mrs. Clarence W. Coolidge, Mrs. Walter Freiwald, Mrs. Fred Dodge, Mrs. F. A. Baldwin, and Mrs. Luther Watson.

The club met again on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. A. Baldwin, Carisbrooke street. The purpose of this club is to meet socially and each member sews for the hostess. The lunch is also provided by each member. On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Baldwin served a dainty lunch consisting of punch, sandwiches, ice cream and cake.

All the members were present.

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